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COMMISSIONER'S REPORT. The Commissioner's for the County of Belknap herewith submit their Annual Report for the year ending March 1, 1875.

RECEIPTS.

Cash drawn from the Treasury for the support of external Poor \$5,599.62

EXPENDITURES.

Cash paid for the support of external poor, March Term 1874, to September Term 1874. \$14.66

Barnstead, aid to Benjamin Hill, 18.00

Barnstead, transient paupers, 8.00

Belmont, aid to Geo. T. Hanniford, 23.56

Centre Harbor, aid to Polly Morse, 30.00

Gilmanston, aid to Betsey Pennock, 24.75

" Lois Babb, 7.00

" Transient paupers, 7.50

Gilford, aid to Horace Merrill, 6.00

" Samuel Mudgett, 4.47

" Maria Hicks, 25.75

" Nancy A. Doane, 81.19

" Betsey A. Foskett, 10.00

" Transient paupers, 7.78

Laconia, aid to Laundrie family, 7.00

" Patrick Dolan, 11.00

" Hiram Twombly, 22.00

" Frank Marchant, 38.56

" Edward Adams, 20.63

" Colman Shean, 19.62

" Nancy Willey, 5.95

" Margaret Dunn, 53.67

" Charles Laundrie, 48.04

" John H. Pickering, 33.59

" Alice Peazie & Daughter, 54.49

" Paupers, 29.48

" Transient paupers, 32.76

Town of Laconia, for J. H. Gauthier, at reform school 23.00

Town of Laconia, for M. E. Woods, at reform school,	\$52.00
“ “ “ John Lowry, “	52.00
“ “ “ Charles V. Pickering, “	52.00
“ “ “ Lina Lowry, “	52.00
Town of New Hampton, aid to Ruth Smith,	.75
“ “ “ Susan Hoyt,	2.25
“ “ “ transient paupers,	13.00
Town of Sanbornton, aid to Frederick Perry,	85.65
“ “ “ John E. Dixey,	76.70
Town of Tilton, aid to transient paupers,	48.13
“ “ “ Emma Reed,	26.75
State reform school for Charles Welch,	52.00
Fred Buxton, aid to John Dockham and wife,	34.00
J. F. Moulton, “ “ “	26.00
John Wheeler, medical aid to E. Bridges,	5.20
Horace Davis, aid to “	33.00
Frank L. Mason, medical aid to D. A. Haskell,	19.50
“ “ “ Julia Sanborn,	43.00
“ “ “ Edwin Johnson,	7.00
“ “ “ Cate Haskell,	9.00
John Wheeler, medical aid to J. M. Jones' family,	13.00
“ “ “ Mrs. Hiram Leathers,	9.00
G. L. Mead, aid to Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	8.00
“ “ “ J. T. Webster,	2.50
“ “ “ Laundrie family,	5.59
“ “ “ Henry Moulton,	16.47
“ “ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	9.50
“ “ “ Lucinda Wiser,	7.30
“ “ “ W. S. Smith,	3.65
“ “ “ Mrs. M. A. Clifford,	9.00
“ “ “ transient paupers,	1.63
A. J. Thompson, medical aid to Mrs. J. Dockham,	35.75
“ “ “ A. M. Smith,	6.00
N. L. True, medical aid to Mary Laundrie & child,	35.40
“ “ “ Joseph Diso,	11.00
“ “ “ John Bisio,	11.00
“ “ “ Arthur Atwood,	27.50
“ “ “ Frank Marchant,	3.00
Nathan Boynton, aid to transient paupers,	8.00
J. H. Hammond & Co., aid to Mrs. Ephraim Berry,	3.23
Jones & Sawyer, aid to John Dorway family,	54.00
Jones & Sawyer, aid to Julia A. Stevens,	43.00

C. S. Prescott, aid to Mrs. Ephraim Berry,	6.29
“ “ Moses Stevens	11.48
“ “ John B. Swain family,	14.79
Elisha Wadleigh, aid to J. Richards and wife,	32.50
J. H. Bartlett, aid to transient paupers,	2.25
C. W. Perkins, medical aid to Jonathan Richards,	7.50
George Sanborn, medical aid to E. Berry family,	5.25
“ “ Stephen B. Smith,	2.25
“ “ Willie Prescott,	1.25
“ “ Moses Stevens,	12.25
“ “ J. B. Swain, family,	14.00
George M. Burleigh aid to transient paupers,	6.25
M. H. Merrow, medical aid to Lydia Mitchell,	20.28
“ “ Susan Hoyt and son,	49.40
“ “ Ruth Smith,	26.61
J. W. Wells, aid to E. Danforth,	5.12
J. P. Dennis. “ “	2.00
E. C. Bean, “ “	17.00
D. W. Judkins, aid to transient paupers,	10.00
Isaac S. French, medical aid to John M. Clifford,	6.00
“ “ “ E. Danforth family,	3.00
“ “ “ Nathaniel Robinson,	2.00
“ “ “ Charles F. Smith,	1.25
Mrs. D. W. Clark, aid to Polly Clark,	26.00
Daniel Norris, coffin for Mrs. S. B. Smith,	9.65
Geo. F. Mallard, aid to Arthur Atwood,	40.85
Joseph N. Sanborn, “ “	2.00
Jacob B. Sanborn, aid to Daniel McKenney,	6.00
“ “ “ transient paupers,	7.50
Joseph Brown, aid to James M. Jones' family,	30.68
P. H. Wheeler, medical aid to A. Farnham's family,	3.75
L. C. Cawley, aid to Edwin Willey,	10.80
Charles G. Kelley, aid to James M. Jones' family,	30.44
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Bushno family,	64.24
“ “ Ed. Willey,	1.25
“ “ John Biso family,	19.93
“ “ Mrs. M. Dunn family,	23.01
“ “ Frank Marchant,	50.32
“ “ Shaw,	6.10
“ “ Mrs. C. V. Knowles,	29.92
“ “ William Lewis,	9.77
“ “ Henry Moulton,	37.46

J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to J. T. Webster,	5.61
“ “ A. M. Smith,	101.86
“ “ Mrs. S. C. Clark,	5.22
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	8.28
“ “ John Foskett,	9.73
“ “ Samuel Mudgett,	12.26
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	12.75
“ “ Lucinda Wiser,	.85
“ “ M. A. Clifford,	2.00
“ “ Transient paupers,	8.74
A. M. True, medical aid to John Dorway family,	33.50
D. P. Evans, for coffin and expenses of Dorway child,	6.50
P. D. Blaisdell, aid to Moses Stevens,	12.94
“ “ William Prescott,	11.55
“ “ Ephraim Berry,	3.75
“ “ Mrs. John B. Swain	5.36
J. J. Hoadley, aid to John McKenzie,	7.82
“ “ Henry Burnham's family,	8.84
“ “ Charles F. Smith,	19.99
D. T. Ladd, coffins for County paupers,	54.00
Elkins Brothers, aid to transient paupers,	3.00
P. Y. Howland, aid to Frederick Perry,	8.50
Nahum Wight, medical aid to Mrs. C. H. Burnham,	17.50
“ “ Lydia Marsh,	14.00
“ “ Ezekiel Danforth,	1.25
“ “ Mrs. J. M. Clifford,	12.25
“ “ C. F. Smith family	11.00
“ “ Mrs. Daniel Downs,	22.00
“ “ Nathaniel Robinson,	15.25
L. T. Weeks, medical aid to L. R. Thompson,	3.00
“ “ Sophia Cogswell,	8.00
True Edgerly, aid to Esther C. Eaton,	34.00
Ira H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	28.00
D. F. & J. C. Moore, medical aid to Mrs. E. Willey,	1.00
“ “ “ John Dockham,	1.00
“ “ “ Mrs. Knowles,	17.00
D. B. Nelson, medical aid to transient paupers,	25.00
S. S. Wiggin, aid to Margaret Dunn,	50.00
S. S. Wiggin, aid to transient paupers,	31.88
D. G. Drake, aid to Margaret Dunn,	1.75
J. C. Page, medical aid to Ira Blackey,	30.00
“ “ Polly Morse,	4.00

Hannah Ladd, for board of Wm. Prescott and wife,	91.00
S. B. Smith, burial robe for E. Danforth,	4.50
John Nutter, board of Lois Babb,	14.00
C. M. Elkins, aid to Mrs. A. M. Smith,	15.42
Whitney & Dwinells, aid to Mrs. A. M. Smith,	6.00
A. J. Hart, aid to transient paupers,	5.00
H. A. Davis,	6.50
“ “ Mrs. Sophia Cogswell,	4.00
Eliza Haskell, aid to Lydia Marsh,	32.50
Eliza Hanson, aid to Lydia Marsh,	2.90
J. S. Thompson, attending funeral of E. Danforth,	2.50
Mary A. Danforth, aid to “	6.00

Total amount, \$3,201.54



Cash paid for the support of external poor, from September term, 1874, to March term, 1875.

Town of Barnstead, aid to Mrs. A. W. Leathers,	\$ 3.28
“ “ Benjamin Hill,	20.00
Town of Gilford, aid to John D. Bean,	25.50
Town of Laconia, for M. E. Woods, at reform school,	52.00
“ “ “ John Lowry, “	52.00
“ “ “ Charles V. Pickering, “	52.00
“ “ “ Lina Lowry, “	52.00
“ “ aid to Mary Bushno,	26.15
“ “ “ Frank Dawson,	29.34
Town of Meredith, aid to B. F. Follins,	5.27
“ “ “ transient paupers,	31.50
“ “ for W. N. Swain, at reform school,	16.57
Town of Sanbornton, aid to Frances B. Farrar,	64.00
Town of Tilton, aid to transient paupers,	108.18
“ “ “ Freeman Elliot,	21.39
“ “ for Alfred W. Shaw at reform school,	60.54
“ “ for Frank A. Reed, “	39.14
Joseph Brown, aid to James M. Jones family,	81.37
Elisha Wadleigh aid to Johathan Richards and wife,	32.50
Mr. D. W. Clark, aid to Polly Clark,	47.00
F. L. Mason, medical aid to Julia A Sanborn,	20.75
F. L. Mason, medical aid to Edwin Johnson,	7.50
M. H. Merrow, aid to Mrs. Lydia Mitchell,	26.59
M. H. Merrow, aid to Mrs. Ruth Smith,	38.82

M. H. Merrow aid to Susan Hoyt and son,	63.59
F. S. Chace, medical aid to Mrs. Ruth Smith,	6.00
O. Goss, medical aid to Mrs. A. M. Smith,	84.40
“ “ Maria Hicks,	7.00
“ “ Dana Avery family,	12.00
“ “ S. D. Davis,	16.50
Joseph L. Odell, medicine for Mrs. A. M. Smith,	34.23
Joseph L. Odell, medicine for Maria Hicks,	2.50
John Walker, aid to transient paupers,	7.00
S. S. Wiggin, aid to transient paupers,	1.50
S. S. Wiggin, aid to Frank Marchant,	23.92
D. F. & J. C. Moore, medical aid to Mrs. H. Doane,	35.15
D. F. & J. C. Moore, medical aid to Mary Willey,	11.50
J. F. Moulton, for board of J. Dockham and wife,	44.00
John Nutter, board of Lois Babb,	13.00
John Wheeler, medical aid to Isabella Leathers,	25.50
“ “ Mrs. A. W. Leathers,	8.50
“ “ James M. Jones' family,	19.00
C. S. Prescott, aid to William Prescott and wife,	3.00
“ “ Moses Stevens,	2.73
“ “ Edward Willey,	1.64
“ “ E. Berry,	10.44
“ “ J. B. Swain,	9.90
N. L. Davis, aid to Mrs. C. V. Knowles,	.67
John H. Harmon, aid to E. Berry,	40.63
George W. Hicks, aid to Maria Hicks,	5.00
T. S. Foster, medical aid to paupers,	5.00
Nahum Wight, medical aid to Ezekiel Danforth,	1.75
“ “ Lydia Marsh,	7.50
“ “ Nathaniel Robinson,	1.50
“ “ John McKenzie,	8.00
Jones & Sawyer, aid to Julia A. Stevens,	22.00
Horace Davis, board of Ebenezer Bridges,	22.00
J. B. Sanborn, aid to Polly Clark,	.85
J. B. Sanborn, aid to Ellen Gilman,	35.12
W. E. S. Foss, medicine for Moses Stevens,	1.35
W. E. S. Foss, medicine for Mrs. E. Berry,	32.15
P. D. Blaisdell & Co., aid to Mrs. E. Berry,	2.00
J. P. Dennis, aid to E. Danforth,	12.52
J. P. Dennis, aid to C. F. Smith,	5.25
T. E. Clough & Son, aid to E. Danforth,	11.00
T. E. Clough & Son, aid to C. F. Smith,	13.00

W. F. Bucklin, medical aid to C. F. Smith family,	\$20 75
“ “ George Hannaford,	1 50
“ “ E. Danforth, family,	17 50
Geo. L. Mead, aid to Perry boy,	7 00
“ “ Transient paupers,	2 60
“ “ Mrs. C. V. Knowles,	5 75
Hazen Palmer, medical aid to Mrs. Moses Stevens,	8 00
“ “ Swain boy,	1 00
“ “ J. S. Busiel,	8 50
True Edgerly, board of Esther C. Eaton,	13 00
Hannah J. Ladd, aid to William Prescott and wife,	26 00
N. L. True medical aid to Charles Laundrie,	6 50
“ “ Mrs. Mary Laundrie,	9 50
“ “ Mary Clifford,	16 50
“ “ Mrs. Frank Dawson,	14 00
Ira H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	51 00
Samuel Buswell, aid to E. Danforth,	1 50
J. W. Wells, aid to E. Danforth family,	11 63
J. W. Wells aid to Lydia Marsh,	3 00
J. J. Hoadley, aid to John McKenzie,	16 69
“ “ Lydia Marsh,	5 00
“ “ Isaac A. Downs,	13 08
“ “ Charles F. Smith,	8 00
D. T. Ladd, coffins for paupers,	43 00
T. B. Burns, aid to transient paupers,	8 50
Henry Blaisdell aid to John Foskett,	2 00
A. J. Thompson, medical aid to Mrs. J. Dockham,	13 00
Nancy Dockham aid to Mrs. Hannah Smith,	9 00
Sleeper & Smart, aid to transient paupers,	2 50
Levi Gove, aid to Edward Willey,	2 00
Mason & Moulton, medical aid to Edwin Johnson,	4 00
“ “ Julia Sanborn,	13 50
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	14 50
L. T. Weeks, medical aid to Frank Dawson,	17 00
J. H. Fifield aid to transient paupers,	10 50
A. L. Rollins, aid to transient paupers,	20 00
A. M. True, medical aid to Thirza Beck,	27 90
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Henry Moulton,	50 32
“ “ Mrs. C. V. Knowles,	34 77
“ “ Maria Hicks,	20 26
“ “ Nancy A. Doane,	11 20
“ “ J. T. Webster,	12 27

J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to John Foskett,	\$41 31
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	13 12
“ “ Mrs. Mary Clifford,	3 25
“ “ Lucinda Wiser,	2 87
“ “ Charles F. Smith,	1 12
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	12 75
“ “ Samuel Mudgett,	22 43
“ “ Frank Marchant,	4 30
“ “ Joseph Shaw,	11 67
“ “ Joseph Biso,	50
“ “ John Biso,	24 84
“ “ William Lewis,	22 50
“ “ Mrs. Anthony Clark,	12 56
“ “ John Gilman,	5 00
“ “ Edward Willey,	2 50
Sullivan Bryant aid to B. F. Follins,	51 35
Isaac S. French, medical aid to John M. Clifford,	6 50
Isaac S. French medical aid to Nathaniel Robinson,	7 25

Amount,	\$2,398.08
	\$3,201.54

Total,	\$5,599.62
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BELKNAP COUNTY FARM.



R E C E I P T S .

By the Superintendent from the County,	\$4,121 85
Town of Laconia, for labor,	10 40
Town of Meredith, board of pauper,	11 25
Chase Pike, for board,	33 50
J. W. Cogswell, board of prisoners,	2 50
Cash for 8 pigs,	27 00
Cash for 4 M. shingle,	16 00
Cost from prisoner,	20 00
J. Drew, extra cost for funeral,	2 00
J. Gilbert, for labor,	3 00
L. R. Authier, for keeping cattle,	12 00
George Mooney, “	15 00

L. Perley, pasturing horse,	\$ 2 00
G. Cook, for lumber,	88 02
B. P. Gale, board, coffin and robe for Mrs Ranlet,	34 75
J. L. Perley, butchering hogs and labor,	2 50
Cash for beds,	1 25
Cash for pair of blankets,	1 50
Town of New Hampton, board of pauper,	84 25
Cash for 4 shoats,	24 00
Town of Sandwich, board and funeral of pauper,	48 00
S. W. Sanders, for labor,	4 00
J. B. Durrell, 1 pair oxen,	186 58
“ 1 calf,	8 40
“ 282 pounds hides,	20 53
S. M. Woodman, 2 steers,	32 00
N. Hartson, for labor,	6 00
John Clay, “	10 50
For use of bull,	13 00
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Total receipts,	\$4,841 78



EXPENSES.

Paid Weeks Brothers, dry goods,	178 28
G. F. Mallard, medicine,	13 10
F. R. Gammon, dry goods,	82 09
Pitman & Tilton, leather and hardware,	27 09
Police, for return of prisoner,	2 00
N. Johnson, stationery,	4 48
S. M. Woodman, 20 bushels potatoes,	10 00
G. L. Mead, powder and goods,	17 32
Henry Callender & Co., 20 barrels flour,	166 00
B. C. & M. Railroad, freight,	12 00
Paid J. P. Atkinson, 2 bushels beans,	6 40
S. E. Young & Co., tailor's shears,	3 00
J. M. Cotton, 1 gallon whiskey,	3 00
Ranlet & Co., for bolts, iron, anvil and hammer,	17 19
J. W. Wells, 58 1-2 bushel potatoes, furniture,	40 10
Tilton & Co., 1285 lbs., S. P. Lime,	35 34
G. F. Wilson, 1000 lbs., S. P. Lime,	22 50
Railroad tickets,	8 03
Paid E. F. Burleigh, hats and boots,	5 50

Paid M. Fox, for 34 pounds butter,	\$10 20
Tilton & Co., for 126 pounds of tobacco,	70 54
“ “ 175 “ tea,	102 70
“ “ 329 gallons of molasses,	166 00
A. J. Hart, for manure,	7 50
E. L. Dow, “	24 25
S. Mugridge, “	11 00
J. L. Pearsons, carpenter work,	9 00
E. E. Pinkham, clothing,	26 98
Rev. F. H. Lyford, for services at funerals,	5 00
T. J. Sinclair, 2 1-2 bushels potatoes,	1 50
Mr. Robie, stone post,	50
J. W. Wells, cow,	45 00
D. C. Batchelder, yoke, bows and irons,	5 00
M. M. Cole, fresh fish,	15 18
B. C. Tuttle, 12 bushels potatoes,	7 50
Warde, Humphrey & Dodge, balls and chain,	12 10
G. A. Hatch, opium,	19 00
O. M. Smith, 1 1-2 bushels beans,	4 00
Thompson & Doe, 241 yards concrete,	144 60
G. Cook, sawing, planing, lumber, windows, &c.	388 02
Paid A. J. Hart, return of prisoner,	2 00
G. A. Hatch, medicine,	8 30
T. E. Ladd, 6 cords manure,	33 00
T. E. Ladd, 1 barrel pork,	15 00
W. S. Woodman, 24 bushels corn,	24 00
D. T. Ladd, coffin trimmings,	1 50
W. S. Lawrence, repairing jail lock,	1 50
E. F. Burleigh, hats,	1 50
A. L. Smith, carpenter work,	40 00
H. C. Currier, 318 pounds beef, at 6 cents,	19 08
J. R. Bucklin, 521 pounds excelsior,	7 81
A. C. Leavitt, 1 m. clapboards,	30 50
C. Eastman, meal,	131 88
W. H. Sanborn, 2 1-2 cords manure,	15 00
D. B. Nelson, medical services,	3 50
S. M. Woodman, vinegar, beans, cheese, &c.,	8 90
J. W. Wells, drag plank,	2 50
Car fare and expense to Tilton,	1 25
Crockett & Gordon, threshing grain,	5 88
Mrs. J. Walker, 2 pairs socks,	1 50
Paid S. B. Smith, robe, cap and print,	5 95

Paid T. Eastman, 8 bushels potatoes,	\$ 5 20
Cole & Co., repair plough,	1 46
Postage stamps and box,	6 27
L. R. Authier, four cattle,	70 00
George Mooney, bull and cow,	40 00
For 45 bushels potatoes,	22 50
Tilton & Co., 644 pounds sugar,	72 55
“ Hardware, paint, oil and glass,	123 00
“ Grass-seed,	14 75
L. Dinsmoor, steam pipe,	2 00
W. F. Knight, two shirts,	75
Dr. Foster & Son, medicine,	8 87
B. H. Smith, repairing axes,	3 50
E. M. Marston, vanishing sleigh,	4 00
G. W. Mitchell & Son, stove,	60 00
G. W. Mitchell & Son, tinware, lead, zinc,	33 65
C. Hicks, labor on farm,	4 00
Three barrels apples,	5 00
H. J. Crooker, drills and sharpening,	9 51
D. J. Dinsmoor, collar and leather,	7 81
A. Thompson, seven coats,	4 67
Mr. Sturtevant, blacksmith's bellows,	4 00
Mr. Corlis, screwplate and anvil,	6 00
Paid Tuttle & Gilman,	2 50
A. C. Leavit, 450 lbs., coal,	3 10
W. H. Sanborn, blacksmith,	31 57
O. Beaman, hats, boots and shoes,	31 13
S. W. Sanders, glass, tin and zinc,	21 03
J. C. Follet, meat,	5 75
J. B. Durrell, manure,	9 75
J. B. Durrell, 3144 lbs., beef pork and tallow	242 21
A. O. Bryar, blacksmith,	8 80
Tilton & Co., groceries,	261 65
“ “ 43 barrels flour,	343 25
“ “ Shoes, boots, clothing, dry goods,	165 87
“ “ For sundries,	4 90
T. M. Hill, one barrel crackers,	3 75
Ella Woodman, 28 weeks labor,	84 00
A. J. Hart, for return of prisoners,	8 00
G. W. Hicks, support of Maria Hicks,	10 00
Rev. N. Hartson, services as chaplain,	10 00
Paid G. F. Mallard, medicines,	2 00

Paid A. J. Thompson, medical services,	\$ 6 50
G. L. Mead, groceries,	9 57
Sundries,	27 42
C. S. Prescott, rye,	10 00
Labor on County Farm,	50 00
Wm. S. Woodman and wife, overseers,	900 00
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Total expenses,	\$4,841.78

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SUMMARY OF FARM ACCOUNTS.

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To inventory of personal property, Mar. 1, 1874,	\$4,975 95
Paid for provisions, clothing, stock, medical aid, furnishing jail, house of correction and alms- house, funeral expenses, new buildings, con- crete, fencing, new cemetery, &c.,	3,754 78
W. S. Woodman and wife, overseers,	900 00
Hired help on farm and buildings,	187 00
Interest on farm and buildings,	1,000 00
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	\$10,817 73

By inventory of personal property Mar. 1, 1875,	5,120 65
Received for stock, provisions, labor, board of sundry persons at farm, &c.,	719 95
Value of buildings erected the past year,	1,000 00
Concrete around house,	144 60
Fencing new cemetery and building fifty rods of stone wall,	150 00
Board of prisoners in jail,	200 00
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	\$7,335 20

Whole amount for support of paupers,	3,482 53
Average number supported at farm, 55.	
Cost of each per year, \$63.32.	
Cost of each per week, \$1.22.	

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RECAPITULATION.

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Cash paid for external poor from March term, 1874, to September term, 1874,	\$3,201 54
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Cash paid for external poor from September term, 1874, to March term, 1875,	\$2,398 08
Cash paid for support of paupers on farm,	3,482 53
Total,	9,082 15
Total amount for support of external poor,	5,599 62
Total amount for support of paupers on County Farm, and for improvements,	4,121 85
Total,	\$9,721.46



Names and ages of Paupers at the County Farm at the present time.



MALES.		FEMALES.	
William Adams,	77	Sally Cotton,	64
John W. Bradbury,	73	Susan Dockham,	72
Levi Conner,	73	Abigail Durgin,	83
Jeremiah Connor,	72	Charlotte Dalton,	45
Thomas Durgin,	75	Elizabeth Edgerly,	68
Patrick Dolan,	69	Mercy Elkins,	62
David Graves,	26	Betsey Ellsworth,	59
Moses Mitchell,	68	Esther Fogg,	44
Prescott Jones,	23	Emma Fifield,	24
Chase Pike,	80	Ann Greenleaf,	49
George A. Hall,	12	Mary Hill,	43
James Sargent,	11	Olive Hill,	64
N. D. Smith,	47	Sally Hoitt,	61
Jacob Thompson,	75	Lydia Moulton,	76
Nathan Sanborn,	79	Margaret Marsh,	54
Jonathan Weeks,	71	M. A. Ladd,	46
James Quimby,	72	Hannah Ladd,	70
Horace Merrill,	65	Cordelia Lamprey,	55
FEMALES.		Susan Leavitt,	63
Lydia Lovitt,	74	Hannah Smith,	79
Anna Luxman,	31	Abbie Shaw,	20
Rebecca Nutter,	28	L. M. Shaw,	1
Sally Pervier,	74	Eleanor Twombly,	46
Nora Ryan,	25	Sarah Vaughn,	94
Kate Ryan,	1	Mahala Whittier,	66

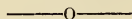
Dolly Prescott,	38	Maria Hicks,	70
Sally Sanborn,	75	Belle F. Leathers,	20

Names and ages of persons who have died at the County Farm during the past year.

MALES.		FEMALES.	
S. T. Andrews,	24	Betsey Bean,	60
Eben Swain,	81	Betsey Eaton,	91
Martin West,	32	Mary Lord,	44
B. F. Follins,	68	Hannah Otis,	79
		Betsey Swain,	88



HOUSE OF CORRECTION.



To the County Commissioners,
Gentlemen :

The number of persons sentenced to the House of Correction the past year was sixteen, for the following offences: Larceny, 1; idle and disorderly, 4; intoxication, 1; common drunkards, 10.

Those who have been in the House of Correction have, with few exceptions, conducted themselves well, and have done a large amount of labor on the farm and buildings. It would be much better for the County and for all concerned if most of those whose offence is not sufficient to send them to State Prison, were sent to the House of Correction, where they could labor and earn something for the County, instead of being sent to the Jail, where they have to be waited upon at the expense of the County, and can earn nothing.

J A I L .

The number of persons committed to Jail the past year was 7; for the following offences: Murder, 1; larceny, 2; drunkenness, 3; debt, 1; sent to State Prison, 1; committed suicide after being sentenced to State Prison, 1; discharged, 5. There is no person in Jail at present.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. WOODMAN,
Supt. of House of Correction and Deputy Jailor.

From the foregoing statement it will be seen that the expense of supporting the poor at the Alms House is, in the aggregate, \$260.74 less than the previous year, while the cost per week, for each one, is eight cents more; which is owing to the fact that a less number has been supported at the farm the past year.

And it should not be overlooked that a larger number, if it does not exceed what the building can accomodate, can be supported at the Alms House at a less expense per week, for each one, than it now costs to support the present number; as the current expenses, aside from the raw material of food and clothing, will be nearly the same, whether the number of paupers is more or less.

The County Farm and Alms House have been under the superintendence of Wm. S. Woodman and wife who have managed the same, in reference to the comfort of the inmates, for the interest of the County, and as heretofore to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners.

In consequence of the stagnation in business, and the difficulty of procuring employment, many who have heretofore have been self supporting have been compelled to make application to the County for assistance, thereby increasing the external pauper bill in the sum of \$442.55 over that of the previous year.

During the past year a building two stories high 30 x 42 feet connected with the barn, has been built, and is used for a carriage house, carpenters shop, corn house and granary, with a convenient basement for storing tools, the building was much needed, and is substantially built from lumber taken from the farm, while the labor of putting in the foundation and building the same, was mostly done by the Superintendant and the ordinary help on the farm, without incurring but little extra expense to the County.

Some eighty-three acres of wood and pasture land have been purchased at a cost of \$816.00, making addition to the pasturing sufficient to keep the stock of the farm, while some fifteen acres of the old pasture are to be taken into the field, making a much needed addition to the tillage of the farm. Some seventy-five rods of substantial stone wall have been built the past year, by the Superintendent and farm help, without extra expense.

The old cemetery at the farm being nearly full and inconveniently located, a new one has been laid out, fenced and partly graded, in a more convenient location, and it is intended to erect suitable head stones, to mark the final resting place of those who may be there interred.

The Commissioners have deemed it proper to include in this Report a condensed statement of the transactions of the Superintendent of the County Farm and Alms House, showing his receipts and expenditures in managing that institution; believing it will be satisfactory to the tax payers of the County.

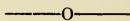
Also hereto annexed will be found the Report of the County Treasurer, giving a very satisfactory statement of the financial standing of the County.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

JOHN W. WELLS,	} Commissioners for Belknap County.
AMOS L. ROLLINS,	
SYLVESTER S. WIGGIN,	



REPORT OF CLERK.



To the County Commissioners of Belknap County:

In compliance with the law I hereby render to you an itemized account of my receipts and disbursements as Clerk of the Circuit Court for said County.

Received for entry fees,	\$103 50
jury fees,	10 00
costs,	1 37

Which said several sums I have credited to the County.

I have charged said County as follows:

To paid for seals for Courts, by direction of Court,	
and express,	\$20 30
commission on entry and jury fees,	3 62
printing executions,	2 50
5 sets naturalization papers and copies,	10 00
4 jury lists,	2 00
6 jury pay rolls,	3 00

To paid for 10 Supœnas to Solicitor,	\$ 1 00
15 days attendance, Sept. T.,	75 00

O. A. J. VAUGHAN, Clerk.

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REPORT OF THE COUNTY TREASURER.
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R E C E I P T S .

From June 1, 1874, to March 1, 1875.

Cash on hand, June 1, 1874,	\$6,150 60
County tax paid,	25,000 00
Borrowed by order of Court,	1,600 59
Cash of Mrs. C. V. Knowles,	31 60
O. A. J. Vaughan fines,	7 00
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	\$33,789 79

EXPENDITURES.

Paid for Services and Fees.

John Walker, Commissioner in 1872,	12 50
S. S. Wiggin, " 1874,	128 05
A. L. Rollins, " "	159 75
John W. Wells, " "	157 49
John W. Currier, Solicitor,	73 50
C. C. Rogers, " "	41 70
E. C. Lewis, Treasurer,	150 00
W. S. Woodman, Superintendent,	900 00
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	\$1622 99

Farm Use.	2221 85
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NOTES AND INTEREST.

Sarah N. Clifford,	337 40
Lewis Maloon,	315 23
John H. Rand,	235 50
Andrew French,	124 38
Simeon B. Knowles,	100 10
Samuel J. Osgood,	415 40
Chase W. Colby,	18 50
J. B. Robinson,	95 10

Henry Shepherd,	\$91 26
E. E. Evans,	341 55
J. B. Robinson,	72 55
Geo. L. Mead,	2220 93
Charles R. Clark,	65 15
Rebecca M. Reed,	45 60
A. R. Glidden,	138 62
Horace F. Lane,	134 00
Sally Jones,	206 87
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	\$4958 14

COURT EXPENSES.

D. C. Batchelder, services, &c., arresting G. Haskell,	48 30
“ “ “ as Sheriff,	66 83
C. C. Rogers, complaint and fees, State v. C. A. Hicks,	26 48
O. A. J. Vaughan, justice fees, cases Lacour & Haskell,	8 00
A. J. Hart, witness fees in Lacour case,	9 05
S. C. Clark, court order June Law Term,	78 59
Grand Jury pay rolls, Sept. term, 1874,	64 04
A. B. Wyatt, costs State vs. Henry Murray,	15 28
“ “ “ “ William H. Noyes,	12 74
“ “ “ “ Thomas Walker,	12 74
Petit Jury pay rolls, Sept. term, 1874,	388 24
“ “ “ “	375 84
S. C. Clark, Court order,	186 10
B. E. Thurston, services, &c., as sheriff,	195 35
A. C. Dow, summoning witnesses before G. jury,	20 88
Jewell & Smith, legal services,	33 84
Pay roll, State v. D. W. Shaw,	10 60
W. Geo. Alden, fees, &c., State v. Farrar & Smith,	5 72
O. A. J. Vaughan, Court orders,	54 96
“ “ Fees, State v. Swain & Sanborn,	9 00
A. J. Hart, “ “ “	10 02
D. C. Batchelder, fees, State v. Blodgett,	1 88
E. H. Blaisdell, costs &c., State v. C. Wentworth,	11 27
“ “ David Swain,	11 77
“ “ Edward Evans,	10 62
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	\$1,668.13

PAUPER ACCOUNT.

J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Downs family,	\$14 36
“ “ Frank Marchant,	54 63
“ “ John Biso,	30 82
“ “ Joseph Shaw,	17 77
“ “ Mrs. C. V. Knowles,	64 69
“ “ William Lewis,	32 27
“ “ J. T. Webster,	17 88
“ “ Bushno family,	36 69
“ “ Transient paupers,	8 74
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	21 03
“ “ Mrs. S. C. Clark,	5 22
“ “ Margaret Dunn,	8 65
“ “ Henry Moulton,	87 78
“ “ A. M. Smith,	101 86
“ “ John Foskett,	50 44
“ “ Samuel Mudgett,	34 69
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	25 87
“ “ Mrs. Mary Clifford,	5 25
“ “ Lucinda Wiser,	3 72
“ “ Maria Hicks,	20 26
“ “ Nancy A. Doane,	11 20
“ “ Mrs. C. F. Smith,	1 12
“ “ Mrs. Anthony Clark,	12 56
“ “ Edward Willey,	2 50
“ “ John Gilman,	5 00
George L. Mead, aid to Mrs. A. Clark,	50
“ “ Lucinea Wiser,	63
“ “ U. S. Smith,	3 65
“ “ Transient paupers,	5 73
“ “ Perry boy,	10 00
“ “ Mrs. C. V. Knowles,	1 25
Elkins Brothers, aid to transient paupers,	3 00
Sullivan Bryant aid to B. F. Follins,	51 35
A. M. True, medical aid to Thirza Beck,	27 90
A. L. Rollins, aid to transient paupers,	20 00
J. H. Fifield, “ “	10 50
Horace Davis, aid to E. Bridges,	13 00
S. S. Wiggin, aid to transient paupers,	33 38
“ “ Mrs. M. Dunn,	50 00
“ “ Frank Marchant,	23 92

Town of Laconia, aid to Paupers,	\$ 52 63
“ “ A. Veasey & A. M. Smith,	54 59
“ “ Patrick Dolan,	11 00
“ Reform School bill for M. E. Woods,	52 00
“ “ John Lowrie,	52 00
“ “ C. P. Pickering,	52 00
“ “ Reform School bill,	104 00
“ aid to Charles Laundrie,	48 04
“ “ John N. Pickering,	33 59
“ “ Rosalie Duchano,	26 15
“ “ Joseph Porie,	29 34
“ “ Frank Dawson,	22 69
Town of Gilford, aid to Transient Paupers,	7 78
“ “ Samuel Mudgett,	4 47
“ “ Maria Weeks,	25 75
“ “ Nancy J. Doane,	82 19
“ “ Betsey A. Foskett,	10 00
“ “ John D. Bean,	25 50
Town of Barnstead aid to A. W. Leathers,	3 28
“ “ G. T. Thompson,	23 56
“ “ Transient paupers,	8 00
Town of Belmont aid to Hiram Twombly,	22 00
Town of Gilmanton aid to Lois Babb,	7 00
Town of Tilton aid to A. W. Shaw, reform school,	50 54
“ “ Frank Reed	39 14
“ “ Transient paupers,	139 11
“ “ Freeman Elliott,	21 39
Town of Centre Harbor, aid to Polly Morse,	30 00
Town of Sanbornton, aid to Thomas B. Farrer,	64 00
N. L. True, medical aid to Joseph Biso,	11 00
“ “ John Biso family,	11 00
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	27 50
“ “ Frank Marchant child,	3 00
“ “ Charles Laundrie,	6 50
“ “ Mary Laundrie,	4 00
F. L. Mason, medical aid to Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	19 50
“ “ Julia Sanborn,	32 75
“ “ Edwin Johnson,	10 50
D. B. Nelson, medical aid to transient paupers,	25 00
D. F. & J. C. Moore, medical aid to Mrs. E. Willey,	1 00
“ “ “ John Dockham,	1 00
“ “ “ Mrs. Knowles,	17 00

D. F. & J. C. Moore, medical aid to Mrs. H. Doane,	\$35 15
“ “ “ Mrs. M. Willey,	11 50
Nahum Wight, medical aid to Nathaniel Robinson,	16 75
“ “ Lydia Marsh,	18 50
“ “ Mrs. J. M. Clifford,	3 25
“ “ E. Danforth,	1 75
“ “ John McKenzie,	8 00
T. S. Foster, medical aid to transient paupers,	5 00
John C. Page, medical aid to Ira Blackey,	30 00
“ “ Polly Morse,	4 00
L. P. Weeks, medical aid to S. Cogswell's daughter,	8 00
A. J. Thompson, “ Mrs. A. M. Smith,	6 00
“ “ John Dockham,	37 25
O. Goss, “ Mrs. A. M. Smith,	67 50
John Wheeler, “ Isabella Leathers & child,	34 00
W. A. Bucklin, “ C. F. Smith family,	20 75
“ “ Geo. Hannaford,	1 50
“ “ E. Danforth,	17 50
Haven Palmer, “ Mrs. Moses Stevens,	8 00
“ “ Swain boy,	1 00
“ “ J. S. Busiel,	8 50
Horace Davis, board of Eben Bridges,	42 00
Fred Buxton, board of John Dockham and wife,	8 00
True Edgerly, board of Esther C. Eaton,	47 00
Jones & Sawyer, aid to Julia A. Stevens,	34 00
G. F. Mallard, aid to Arthur Atwood,	7 60
Ira H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock	79 00
D. W. Judkins, aid to transient paupers,	4 50
J. F. Moulton, board of John Dockham and wife,	62 00
Hannah Ladd, aid to Wm. Prescott and wife,	117 00
D. G. Drake, aid to Mrs. M. Dunn,	1 75
M. A. Hannaford, aid to E. Danforth,	6 00
J. S. Thomson, services as sexton, E. Danforth,	2 50
S. B. Smith & Co., burial robe for “	4 50
Eliza Haskell, aid to Lydia Marsh.	35 40
John Nutter, board of Lois Babb,	27 00
Chas. G. Kelley, house rent of J. M. Jones' family,	8 00
Horace A. Davis, aid to transient paupers,	6 50
“ “ burial of Miss Cogswell,	4 00
Whitney & Daniels, teams at funeral of A. M. Smith,	6 00
M. H. Merrow, aid to Lydia Mitchell,	13 85
“ “ Ruth Smith,	13 35

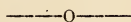
M. H. Merrow, aid to Susan Hoyt and Son,	\$25 45
Mrs. D. W. Clark, aid to Polly Clark,	47 06
Joseph Brown, aid to J. M. Jones' family,	81 78
J. L. Odell, aid to Mrs. A. M. Smith,	34 23
C. M. Elkins, " "	15 42
John Walker, aid to transient paupers,	7 00
A. J. Hart, " "	5 00
Elisha Wadleigh, aid to Jona. Richards and wife,	32 50
G. W. Hicks, aid to Maria Hicks,	5 00
N. L. Davis, aid to Mrs. C. V. Knowles,	67
John H. Harmon, aid to E. Berry,	24 86
C. S. Prescott, aid to Wm. Prescott and wife,	3 00
" " " Moses Stevens,	2 73
" " " E. Willey,	1 64
" " " E. Berry,	10 44
" " " J. B. Swain,	9 90
J. B. Sanborn, aid to Ellen Gilman,	20 12
" " " Polly Clark,	85
T. E. Clough, aid to E. Danforth,	11 01
T. E. Clough, aid to C. F. Smith,	13 00
J. P. Dennis, aid to C. F. Smith,	5 25
J. P. Dennis, aid to E. Danforth,	12 52
P. D. Blaisdell, aid to Mrs. E. Berry,	2 00
W. E. S. Foss, aid to Moses Stevens,	1 35
W. E. S. Foss, aid to Mrs. E. Berry,	32 15
J. J. Hoadley, aid to J. McKenzie,	16 69
" " Lydia Marsh,	5 00
" " Isaac A. Downs,	13 08
" " C. F. Smith,	8 00
S. Buswell, digging grave for E. Danforth,	1 50
J. W. Wells, aid to E. Danforth's family,	11 63
J. W. Wells, aid to Lydia Marsh,	3 00
J. W. Wells, aid to Transient paupers,	8 50
D. T. Ladd, coffins for paupers,	43 00
Henry Blaisdell aid to J. Foskett,	2 00
Town of Barnstead, aid to Benjamin Hill,	20 00
Nancy Dockham, aid to Hannah Smith,	9 00
J. F. Moulton, aid to John Dockham,	8 00
Sleeper & Smart, aid to Transient paupers,	2 50
Jacob B. Sanborn, aid to Ellen Gilman,	15 00
Levi Gove, aid to Edward Willey,	2 00
Mason & Moulton, medical aid to E. Johnson,	4 00

Town of Laconia, reform school bill for Lina Lowrie,	52 00
Mason & Moulton, medical aid to Julia Sanborn,	13 50
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	14 50
L. T. Weeks, medical aid to Mrs. F. Dawson,	17 00
O. Goss, medical aid to Mrs. Maria Hicks,	7 00
“ “ Dana Avery,	12 00
“ “ S. D. Davis' family,	16 50
J. L. Odell, aid to Mrs. Maria Hicks,	2 50
M. H. Merrow, aid to Ruth Smith,	25 47
“ “ Lydia Mitchell,	12 74
“ “ Susan Hoyt,	38 14
J. S. Chase, medical aid to Ruth Smith,	6 00
I. S. French, medical aid to J. M. Clifford,	6 50
I. S. French, medical aid to Nat Robinson,	7 25
Town of Meredith, aid to B. F. Follins,	5 27
Town of Meredith, aid to Transient paupers,	31 50
Town of Meredith, reform school for W. A. Swain,	16 57
J. H. Harmon, aid to Mrs. E. Berry,	15 77
John Wheeler, medical aid to J. M. Jones' family,	19 00

\$3,982 35



MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.



M. A. Haynes, printing Treasurer's Reports,	28 00
O. A. J. Vaughan, printing County Reports, &c.,	96 95
F. A. Moore, lightning rods for County buildings,	270 81
E. B. Beaman, binding record book;	10 00
W. L. Melcher, insurance on County buildings	26 00
J. F. Robie & Son, stone furnished at Court House,	86 00
Nelson Richardson. stone work at “	138 34
S. W. Sanders, pump and pipe at “	19 61
Nath'l Edwards, care Court House and sawing wood,	20 00
J. H. Tilton & Co., materials for Court House,	6 57
A. L. Morrison, conveying records to Gilmanton,	3 50
N. Johnson, stationery for Probate Court,	10 52
C. D. Thyng, printing blanks,	1 25
Town of Laconia, taxes on County farm,	56 00
S. S. Wiggin, repairs on Court House and yard,	7 55
N. Johnson, stationery for Register of Deeds,	4 55
Morrill & Silsby, blanks for Court use,	15 00

Carter, Rice & Co., stationery for Court use,	49 44
S. S. Wiggin, gas for Court House,	6 00
H. W. Gorrell, work on “	2 25
Nath'l Edwards, postage stamps Probate Court,	3 00
E. R. Morse, safe for use of County,	110 00
Town of Merdith, overtax,	321 94
G. H. Mitchell & Son, repairing stove at Court house,	8 75
Thos. E. Ladd, 80 acres pasture land,	816 00
F. W. Miller, printing circulars for State convention,	3 00
J. L. Moore, irons for Court House yard,	1 15
S. S. Wiggin, gas piping at Court House,	5 03
S. B. Smith & Co., carpeting for Court House,	28 16
John Edwards, moving safe,	10 00
J. H. Tilton & Co., zinc for Court House,	69
J. P. Boodey, blanks, &c.,	25 80
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	\$2,191 86

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 RECAPITULATION.

Receipts,	\$33,789.79
EXPENSES.	
Services and Fees,	\$1,622 99
Farm use,	2,221 85
Notes and interest,	4,958 14
Court expenses,	1,668 13
Pauper account,	3,982 35
Miscellaneous,	2,196 86
Cash on hand, March 1, 1875,	17,144 47
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	\$33,789.79

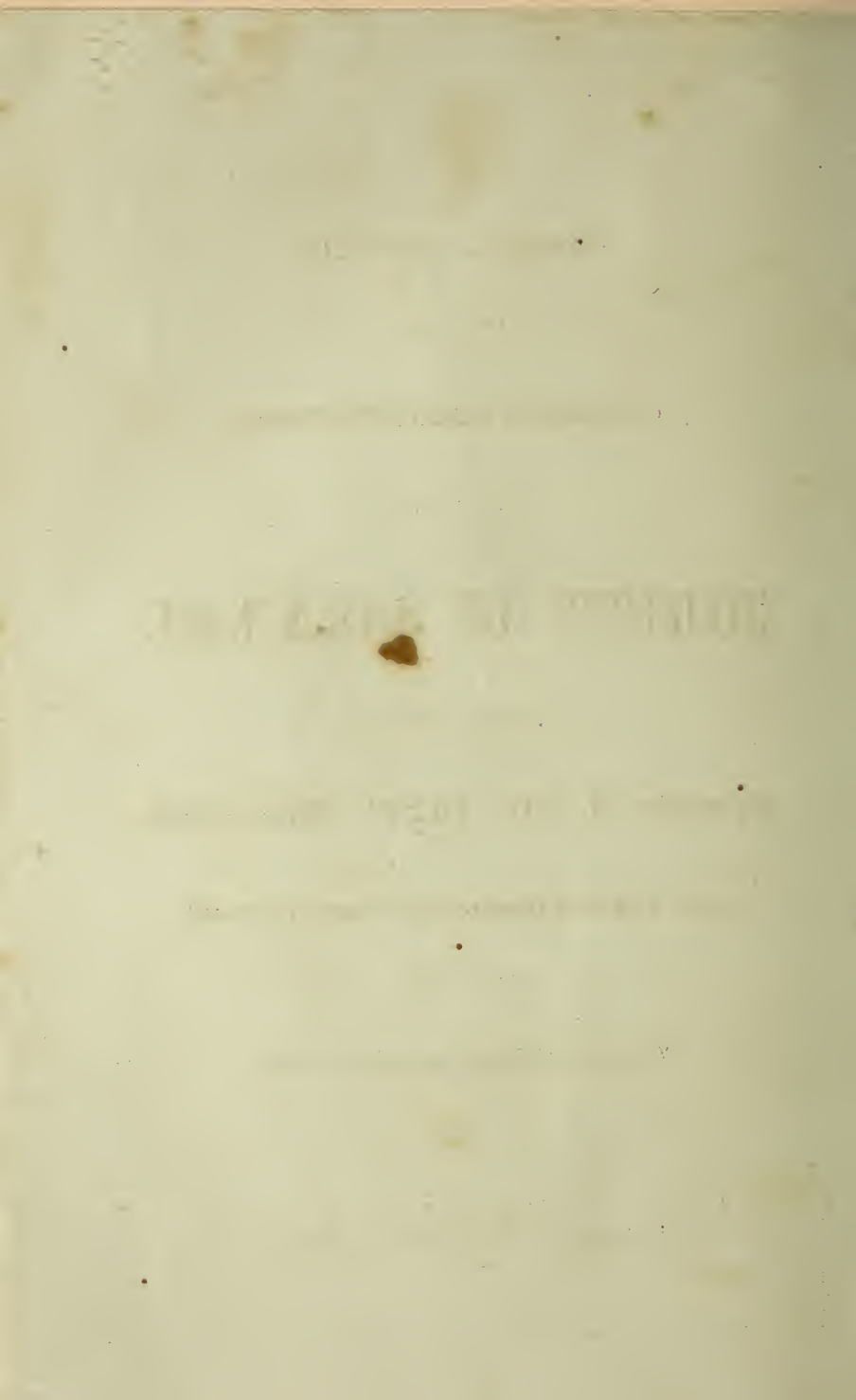
COUNTY DEBT.

Principal,	- - - - -	\$39,714 72
Interest accrued,	- - - - -	4,407 46
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Notes outstanding,	- - - - -	\$44,122 18
Cash on hand,	- - - - -	17,144 47
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Debt, less cash on hand, March 1, 1875,		\$26,977 71

E. C. LEWIS, County Treasurer.

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COMMISSIONER'S REPORT.

The Commissioners for the County of Belknap herewith submit their Annual Report for the year ending March 1, 1876.

RECEIPTS.

Cash drawn from the Treasury for the support of external Poor,	\$6,417.93
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EXPENDITURES.

Cash paid for the support of external Poor,
March term, 1875, to Sept. term, 1875.

Town of Alton, aid to Leonard Place,	\$19.00
“ “ John P., George W., and Ellen J. Leavitt,	95.00
“ “ George Walker,	4.00
“ “ Hannah Roberts,	5.00
“ “ Jonathan Tebbetts,	8.00
“ “ Eben C. Nute,	4.00
“ “ David Lougee and wife,	5.00
Town of Barnstead, aid to John Merrill and wife,	16.75
“ “ Mark Pitman,	8.00
“ “ Otis F. Hill and wife,	8.75
“ “ Joshua Parshley,	6.00
Town of Gilmanton, aid to Emily L. Breckenridge,	34.50
“ “ Edwin S. Gilman,	12.00
“ “ Mary A. Gilman,	7.00
“ “ Polly Hutchinson,	12.00
“ “ Louisa L. Maxfield,	6.00
“ “ Leavitt Weeks,	81.00
“ “ Jonathan S. Buzzell,	15.00
Town of Gilford, aid to transient paupers,	8.55
“ “ S. D. Davis,	4.00
“ “ John A. Dearborn, small pox case, 1873,	175.00
“ “ Daniel B. Leavitt,	7.00
“ “ Gilman Follett and wife,	14.50
Town of Laconia, aid to John Hays,	9.70
“ “ Timothy Breen,	19.12
“ “ Thomas Gallagher,	38.20

Town of Laconia, aid to Charles F. Pickering,	\$ 5.19
“ “ Mrs. Mary LaCour,	20.72
“ “ Leonard Colburn,	65.89
“ “ James Patterson,	35.00
“ “ Hannah Gilman,	6.00
“ “ Charles W. Wentworth,	4.50
“ * aid for Charles V. Pickering,	39.43
“ * “ John Lowry,	52.00
“ * “ Lina Lowry,	26.00
Town of New Hampton aid to Nathan D. Smith,	18.00
“ “ Martha D. Howe,	27.00
Town of Meredith, aid to Edner M. Wescott,	89.65
“ “ Transient paupers,	13.70
“ * aid for Wm. M. Swain,	52.00
Town of Tilton, aid to Freeman Elliott,	21.75
“ “ Transient paupers,	57.89
“ “ James Jones,	27.50
“ * aid for Fred Shaw,	52.00
“ * “ Frank A. Reed,	52.00
“ * “ Solon McKenney,	25.14
E. G. Ladd, aid to Mrs. Anthony Clark,	8.25
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	8.25
J. F. Moulton, aid to John Dockham and wife,	6.50
Ira H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	117.00
John Nutter, aid to Louis Babb,	26.00
C. W. Perkins, med. aid to J. Richards and wife,	26.00
D. W. Judkins, aid to transient paupers,	5.50
J. W. Wells, aid to Charles F. Smith,	15.87
“ “ Transient paupers,	13.65
“ “ Mrs. Mary A. Danforth,	4.73
B. F. & J. C. Moore, med. aid to Samuel Davis,	3.00
“ “ “ Mrs. Knowles,	18.00
“ “ “ John Fosgate,	25.50
“ “ “ Betsey Doane,	58.60
“ “ “ E. Willey & wife,	21.00
Geo. L. Mead, aid to transient paupers,	2.38
J. C. French, “ “	2.00
Henry E. Marsh, aid to paupers,	26.25
Hannah Ladd, aid to Wm. Prescott and wife,	86.00
John C. Avery, funeral expenses of F. E. Hall,	12.00

Those marked with a * are at the Reform School.

T. E. Clough & Son, aid to C. F. Smith's family,	\$ 2.00
“ “ “ “ Mrs. E. Danforth,	4.00
G. W. Riley, aid to C. F. Smith's family,	15.00
N. L. True, medical aid to Mary Lacour,	11.00
“ “ “ John Biso,	5.00
“ “ “ Timothy Breen,	12.00
“ “ “ L. Colburn,	11.00
Geo. Sanborn, medical aid to Frances E. Hall,	10.00
“ “ B. F. Follins,	11.31
“ “ Swain boy,	5.00
“ “ E. Berry and wife,	17.00
“ “ Jas. M. Stephens,	.50
“ “ Jas. D. Prescott,	.75
Joseph Brown, aid to James M. Jones' family,	65.73
Elisha Wadleigh, aid to Jona. Richards and wife,	32.50
N. A. Philbrick, aid to Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	2.50
J. M. Flanders, aid to Ruth Smith,	14.17
Joseph Knowles, aid to Polly Morse,	25.00
S. S. Wiggin, aid to transient paupers,	7.32
“ “ Joseph Porie's family,	30.00
N. Wight, medical aid to Nathaniel Robinson,	18.50
“ “ John McKenzie,	6.75
“ “ Mrs. E. Danforth,	2.25
“ “ Isaac Downs,	3.75
T. E. Ladd, aid to Downs family,	10.00
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Joseph Shaw,	2.54
“ “ Lucinda Wiser,	5.57
“ “ Mary Clifford,	2.75
“ “ Nancy Doane,	20.10
“ “ John Gilman,	6.47
“ “ J. T. Webster,	21.04
“ “ Ed. Willey,	12.10
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	17.82
“ “ John Biso,	19.69
“ “ John Foskett,	8.42
“ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	17.71
“ “ Henry Moulton,	26.64
“ “ Wm. Lewis,	6.50
“ “ Samuel Mudgett,	5.67
“ “ Lacour family,	147.93

J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Arthur Atwood,	\$16.27
“ “ C. F. Pickering,	6.57
“ “ John Hayes,	5.00
“ “ John H. Pickering,	3.47
“ “ Timothy Breen,	5.57
“ “ Leonard Colburn,	20.87
“ “ Issac A. Downs,	8.00
“ “ Joseph Porie,	63.26
“ “ Transient paupers,	12.82
Jones & Sawyer, aid to Julia Stephens,	21.00
P. H. Wheeler, medical aid to A. Farnham,	13.75
E. G. Kelley, aid to transient paupers,	1.50
Horace Davis aid to E. Bridges,	31.00
A. L. Rollins, aid to transient paupers,	1.50
H. A. Davis, for grave and funeral expenses for Mrs. Mary Lacour,	6.50
do. for unknown child,	2.50
True Edgerly, aid to Esther C. Eaton,	40.00
Edwin Varney, aid to Isaac A. Downs,	3.00
“ “ John McKenzie,	8.34
“ “ Nat. Robinson,	.79
Fred Buxton, aid to Mrs. John Dockham,	9.60
Charles G. Kelley, aid to Jas. M. Jones' family,	36.50
L. T. Weeks, medical aid to Samuel Mudgett,	7.00
“ “ Sophia Cogswell,	5.50
Sally Smith, aid to Polly Morse,	32.50
Geo. L. Mead, aid to Perry boy,	2.00
“ “ J. H. Pickering,	12.75
“ “ T. Gallagher,	4.00
“ “ J. Porie,	41.78
Sleeper & Winslow, aid to John Biso,	25.00
J. H. Harmon, aid to E. Berry and wife,	25.14
D. T. Ladd, coffin for Mary Lacour,	6.00
J. H. Fifield, aid to transient paupers,	6.00
T. S. Foster, medical aid to Moulton girl,	13.30
Haven Palmer, medical aid to Moses Stephens,	14.37
Sarah Bean, aid to John Dockham and wife,	25.25
D. S. Prescott estate, med. aid to Mary Lacour,	2.00
“ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	7.50
“ “ Mary Bushno,	3.70

Albert F. Shackford, aid to Otis F. Hill,	\$ 5.00
“ “ “ E. Bridges,	3.16
E. E. Maxfield, aid to Gilman child,	4.00
A. J. Thompson, medical aid to paupers,	21.00
Henry Davis, aid to John B. Bean,	38.75
D. B. Nelson, medical aid to Polly Dockham,	35.10
J. J. Hoadley, aid to J. McKenzie,	7.87
“ “ Isaac Downs,	5.00
Total amount,	<hr/> \$3,116.37

Cash paid for the support of external Poor, from September term, 1875, to March term, 1876.

Town of Alton, aid to Eben C. Nute,	9.00
“ “ George Walker,	9.00
“ “ Hannah Roberts,	9.00
“ “ Jonathan Tebbetts,	18.87
“ “ Levi B. Glidden,	61.25
“ “ Jonathan Woodman,	84.50
“ “ Enoch Flanders,	5.00
“ “ Clara Chamberlin,	76.73
“ “ Livona Ricker,	27.50
Town of Barnstead, aid to Betsey Clough,	14.00
Town of Belmont, aid to Walter Tatro,	25.71
“ “ Olive Farrar,	8.75
“ “ Thomas F. Danforth,	2.50
“ * for aid to Walter Tatro,	26.00
Town of Gilford, aid to John L. and Sarah Davis,	5.75
“ “ Mark Small,	8.00
“ “ Emma V. Davis,	10.00
“ “ Joseph D. Moulton,	31.60
Town of Gilmanton, aid to Charles H. Pierce,	20.15
“ “ Richard Lamprey,	4.62
“ “ Frank N. Page,	7.43
“ “ Nath'l P. Young,	4.00
“ * aid for Frank N. Page,	26.00
Town of Laconia, aid to John Twombly,	38.53
“ “ David Colby,	9.55
“ “ Charles L. Young,	9.96

Those marked with a * are at the Reform School.

Town of Laconia, aid to Elizabeth Varney,	\$17.25
“ “ Clara A. Davis,	16.58
“ “ John Aldrich,	34.50
“ “ Robert H. Pope,	4.29
“ “ Mary A. Johnson,	34.00
“ “ Mary R. Pingree,	93.56
“ “ Susan Leavitt,	23.68
“ “ I. Lavoie,	15.25
“ “ Charles W. Crockett,	10.00
“ “ Transient paupers,	11.88
“ for support of Charles L. Young,	
“ at the Asylum,	59.14
“ * aid for John Lowry,	52.00
“ * “ Lina Lowry,	54.00
“ * “ Robert H. Pope,	26 00
“ aid to Mrs. Joseph Brake,	6.50
Town of Meredith, aid to Mrs. S. J. Bachelder,	18.00
“ “ Mrs. Priscilla Pickering	
“ and child,	20.00
“ “ H. Robinson and wife,	5.00
“ “ Chas. H. Sceggel,	30.00
“ “ Geo. S. Bachelder,	7.50
“ “ Edna M. Wescott,	3.20
“ * aid for Wm. N. Swain,	52.00
Town of New Hampton aid to Wm. C. Sanborn,	8.00
“ “ Wm. L. Fairfield,	18.00
Town of Sanbornton, aid to Richard Calef,	7.00
“ “ H. Silver and family,	4.00
Town of Tilton, aid to John Wells,	9.75
“ * aid for Fred Shaw,	52.00
“ * “ Frank A. Reed,	52.00
“ * “ Solon McKenney,	52.00
Joseph N. Sanborn, aid to John Gilman,	5.00
Elisha Wadleigh, aid to Jona. Richards and wife,	32.50
C. W. Perkins, med. aid to J. Richards and wife,	7.25
D. C. Clough, aid to Ellen Gilman,	8.28
D. F. & J. C. Moore, med. aid to Mrs. Knowles,	6.00
“ “ “ E. Willey family,	33.00
“ “ “ Nancy Doane,	36.75
“ “ “ John Foscett,	27.50

Those marked with a * are at the Reform School.

D. F. & J. C. Moore, med. aid to Mrs. J. L. Davis,	\$30.00
H. M. Parshley, aid to Joshua Parshley,	13.50
Hiram T. Pitman, aid to Mark Pitman,	37.50
N. Wight, med. aid to Mrs. Daniel Downs,	21.00
“ “ Isaac Downs,	16.50
“ “ Lyford C. Hill,	1.50
“ “ Nath'l Robinson,	.75
“ “ Mrs. E. Danforth,	2.25
“ “ John McKenzie,	4.50
“ “ C. F. Smith,	1.50
“ “ Henry Burnham,	1.75
Chas. G. Kelley, aid to James M. Jones' family,	39.00
L. T. Weeks, med. aid to transient poor,	14.50
Ira H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	63.00
John P. Leavitt, aid to Daniel B. Leavitt,	10.00
N. L. True, med. aid to Mrs. A. Clark & daughter,	20.00
“ “ Mrs. Joseph Brake,	2.00
“ “ Transient Poor,	30.00
“ “ Benjamin Lamprey,	3.00
“ “ James Patterson & wife,	12.25
L. T. Weeks, med. aid to Lacour Boys,	8.00
P. H. Wheeler, med. aid to Aaron Farnham's family,	3.25
“ “ Jonathan Woodman,	2.00
Albert F. Shackford, aid to Otis F. Hill,	12.00
Horace Davis, aid to Eben. Bridges,	8.00
Jones & Sawyer, aid to Julia A. Stephens,	30.00
“ “ Aaron Farnham's family,	3.91
“ “ James M. Jones' family,	7.37
“ “ L. B. Glidden's family,	23.00
“ “ Jonathan Woodman,	5.00
F. L. Mason, med. aid to Edwin Johnson,	5.00
“ “ Julia Sanborn,	8.00
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	2.00
Edwin E. Maxfield, aid to Gilman girls,	16.00
M. H. Merrow, aid to Lydia Mitchell,	34.63
“ “ Ruth Smith,	26.22
“ “ Susan Hoit & son,	62.15
Fred Hutchinson, aid to Mrs. Polly Hutchinson,	35.00
John Cornell & Co., aid to Edwin S. Gilman,	55.00
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Mrs. Clark,	19.38

J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to John Twombly,	\$54.26
“ “ J. T. Webster,	6.75
“ “ Daniel B. Leavitt,	7.00
“ “ Henry Moulton,	62.33
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	32.80
“ “ James Patterson,	54.93
“ “ Leonard Colburn,	15.55
“ “ Betsey Doane,	16.99
“ “ Ed. Willey,	48.58
“ “ Lucinda Wiser,	5.50
“ “ Harmon Robinson,	30.00
“ “ Clara Davis,	97.44
“ “ Transient poor,	53.52
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	14.00
“ “ Wm. Lewis,	1 17
“ “ C. F. Smith,	5.00
“ “ Mrs. J. Brake,	2.75
“ “ Mrs. M. R. Pingree,	3.78
“ “ John Foskett,	3.47
“ “ Joseph Shaw,	7.88
“ “ J. L. Davis,	10.60
“ “ John Biso's family,	92.92
“ “ C. F. Pickering,	4.39
D. C. Clough, aid to Mrs. Silver's family,	65.00
John Nutter, aid to Lois Babb,	36.00
Mooney & Varney, aid to Ebenezer Bridges,	12.30
Wm. P. Moulton, aid to Joseph D. Moulton, at the Insane Asylum,	32.56
John P. Thompson, aid to Betsey Thompson,	13.00
Nathan L. Davis, aid to Wesley L. Davis,	6.50
True Edgerly, aid to Esther C. Eaton,	13.00
A. W. Abbott, medical aid to Orin Rollins,	10.50
Levi Grey, aid to Betsey Clough,	24.00
G. L. Sleeper, aid to Daniel Colby,	5.78
Hannah Ladd, aid to Wm. Prescott and wife,	43.60
J. J. Hoadley, aid to Isaac A. Downs,	20.00
“ “ Henry Burnham,	10.00
A. L. Rollins, aid to County paupers,	4.50
Joseph Brown, aid to Louisa Maxfield,	26.00
“ “ J. M. Jones' family,	9.53

D. P. Evans, funeral expenses of Mrs. A. Farnham,	\$13.00
D. T. Ladd, coffin for Jones boy,	6.00
S. S. Wiggin, aid to David Colby,	7.00
Mrs. H. Elliott, aid to Benj. Lamprey and wife,	14.00
W. E. S. Foss, medicines for E. Berry's family,	25.00
T. S. Foster, medical aid to Mrs. J. A. Davis,	30.30
Edwin Varney, aid to J. A. Downs' family,	10.00
Jonathan Brown, aid to Lula J. Gilman,	26.00
O. L. Sanborn; aid to Mrs. Olive Farrar,	5.29
C. E. Moody, " " "	6.54

Total,	\$3,304.26
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BELKNAP COUNTY FARM.

RECEIPTS.

By the Superintendent, from County Treas'r,	\$4,700.00
Town of Laconia, board of paupers,	106.00
" Meredith, "	28.00
" New Hampton, "	90.50
B. P. Gale, board of Mr. Randlet,	130.00
Mr. Sleeper, board of Mrs. Merrill,	178.00
Mr. Burley, board of Mrs. Chapman,	67.12
Chase Pike, board,	45.00
Cash for nine pigs,	44.50
Costs, from prisoners,	35.88
For pasturing horses,	34.55
Sundry persons, for labor,	41.50
J. C. Follet, 256 lbs. hide,	15.48
For use of Bull,	18.00
B. P. Burley, for Boots,	5.00
For one cask cement,	3.50
J. B. Durrell, for hide,	3.90
Ira Woodman, for beef,	1.00
J. B. Durrell, for two calves,	13.67
S. S. Wiggin, for dog,	25.00
S. C. Robinson, for corn,	2.00

Mr. G. Cook for lumber,	\$112.73
Total Receipts,	<u>\$5,701.33</u>

EXPENSES.

Paid Mansur & Knight, for painting,	\$ 3.00
N. Johnson, Jr., for stationery and books,	7.11
S. M. Woodman, for oxen,	180.00
G. A. Hatch, for opium and medicine,	46.10
Ranlet & Co., for iron and steel,	8.58
Weeks Brothers, for dry goods,	243.76
Foster & Son, for medicine,	11.30
M. Fox, for 80 lbs. butter,	24.00
W. J. Webster, for four days painting,	10.00
I. Smith, for repairing boots,	1.40
For postage stamps and box,	6.24
Geo. L. Mead, for powder, &c.,	17.85
Ranlet & Co., for steel wedges,	3.95
F. R. Gammon, for dry goods,	66.71
W. S. Woodman, for 40 bushels potatoes,	20.00
G. F. Mallard, for medicine,	16.50
Paid J. H. Tilton & Co., for 418 gals. molasses,	231.61
“ “ 3 barrels pork,	87.00
“ “ 126 lbs. tobacco,	72.38
“ “ 100 lbs. tea,	45.00
“ “ 525 lbs. sugar,	60 63
“ “ paints, nails & cement,	210.80
“ “ 774 lbs. S. P. Lime,	19.27
“ “ 65 barrels flour,	496.00
Rev. Mr. Clement, services as Chaplain,	7.00
G. L. Sleeper, for 2007 lbs. cement,	40.14
“ “ “ 2 bushels of beans,	5.00
John Clay, for 12 bushels potatoes,	7.20
N. Johnson, Jr., for 3½ cords manure,	22.50
T. S. Foster, for 2 “ “	12.00
W. H. Eastman, for 12 bushels potatoes,	7.20
O. Beaman, for hats,	12.15
Paid C. M. Elkins, 1 bbl. crackers,	3.75

Paid Lake Co., for 11 bags meal,	\$ 16.60
D. J. Dinsmoor, for whip,	1.50
D. B. Story, for molasses, tea, etc.,	65.83
G. W. J. Taylor, for 21 bushels potatoes,	10.50
J. B. Durrell & Co., for 4865 lbs. beef,	276.55
J. H. Tilton & Co., for dry goods & groceries,	453.14
Dr. N. L. True, for medical services,	11.00
Dr. A. J. Thompson " "	12.95
Dr. D. B. Nelson, " "	3.00
Ranlet & Co., for steel and iron,	14.78
Mrs. Jones, for bedstead,	2.00
T. B. Mason, for 6 gallons vinegar,	1.80
Expense, for return of deserters,	6.00
J. C. Follett, for 1785 lbs. beef,	106.03
Young & Co., for repair of clock, etc.,	1.75
B. C. Tuttle, for mason work,	23.00
L. G. Morgan, for grass,	45.00
Gordon & Crockett, for threshing grain,	9.38
Augustus Frazier, for leather, shoe tools, etc.,	5.90
Paid Rev. N. Hartson, for services as chaplain,	10.00
Rev. Mr. Allen, " "	2.00
Rev. H. B. Copp, " "	7.00
Rev. Mr. Lunt, " "	2.00
B. W. Crosby, for clothing,	15.00
D. C. Batchelder, for moving building,	15.00
" " for manure,	4.00
O'Shea Bros., for dry goods and clothing,	24.23
A. M. Bowen, for 2 cows,	50.00
W. P. Lang, for return of deserter,	10.00
Ira Woodman, for 10 gallons vinegar,	3.00
C. Eastman, for corn and meal,	75.15
T. R. Knowlton, for 22 1-2 lbs. tobacco,	13.95
C. E. Pickering, for manure,	7.50
J. H. Tilton, for 4 1-2 cords manure,	22.50
W. H. Sanborn, for 4 " "	24.00
J. S. Howe, for 8 1-2 " "	46.75
A. L. Morrison, for 6 1-2 " "	39.00
John R. Champlin, for oysters,	2.25
Paid Pitman & Tilton, for leather and goods,	42.07

Paid T. E. Ladd, for bull,	\$ 30.00
“ for 3 beef cows,	70.50
“ for 1358 lbs. beef,	93.04
A. C. Leavitt, for 2 1-2 thousand brick,	22.50
“ for 1 9-10 “ clapboards,	58.90
“ for coal,	2.11
W. H. Sanborn, for blacksmith work,	34.95
G. H. Mitchell, for tin ware,	31.88
Cole Manufacturing Co., for castings,	13.68
W. S. Woodman, for hay and apples,	22.00
J. L. Meserve, for repairing stone tools,	9.90
George Woodman, for 20 bushels apples,	6.00
H. H. Eastman, for 7 gallons maple syrup,	7.00
S. M. Woodman, $\frac{1}{2}$ bbl. pickles, 10 gals. vinegar,	6.00
J. H. Brewster, for manure,	12.50
Police, for return of deserters,	9.00
Expense after Evans and Prescott,	13.96
Railroad tickets and freight,	32.80
Sundry bills,	21.60
Paid A. L. Smith, for 78 $\frac{1}{2}$ day's carpenter work,	157.50
Geo. Woodman, for 8 mos. labor on farm,	100.00
Irena L. Piper, for 13 week's labor,	39.00
Ella Woodman, for 14 week's labor,	42.00
Mrs. Fox, for 11 week's labor,	33.00
G. Cook, for sawing, planing, lumber, windows, etc.,	352.73
W. S. Woodman and wife, overseers,	900.00
Cash on hand	90.54
Total Expenses,	<hr/> \$5,701.33

SUMMARY OF FARM ACCOUNTS.

To inventory of personal property, March 1st, 1875,	\$5,120.65
Paid for provisions, clothing, stock, medical aid, furnishing jail, house of correction, and almshouse, funeral expenses, new buildings, extra labor on farm and build- ings, etc.,	4,801.33

Paid W. S. Woodman and wife as overseers,	\$ 900.00
For fire-extinguisher,	200.00
Interest on farm and buildings,	1,250.00
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	\$12,271.98

By inventory of personal property, March 1st, 1875,	\$5,638.75
Received for stock, labor, and board of sundry persons at farm,	1,001.33
Value of buildings erected the past year,	900.00
Twenty-five cords of manure bought and on hand,	125.00
Board of prisoners in jail,	200.00
Improvements on farm,	300.00
Cash on hand,	90.54
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	\$8,255.62
Whole amount for support of paupers.	4,016.36
Average number supported at farm, 63.	
Cost of each per year, \$63.75.	
Cost of each per week, \$1.22 $\frac{1}{2}$	

RECAPITULATION.

Cash paid for external poor from March term, 1875, to September term, 1875,	\$ 3,116.37
Cash paid for external poor from Sept. term, 1875, to March term, 1876,	3,304.26
Cash paid for support of paupers on farm,	4,016.36
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Total,	\$10,436.99
Total amount for support of external poor,	6,420.63
Total amount for support of paupers on County Farm, and for improvements,	4,801.33
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Total,	\$11,221.96

Names and ages of Paupers at the County Farm, from
March 1, 1875, to March 1, 1876, inclusive.

MALES.		FEMALES.	
Levi Conner,	88	Mercy Elkins,	63
Jeremiah Conner,	73	Betsey Ellsworth,	60
Oliver Cheney,	72	Esther Fogg,	45
Thomas Durgin,	76	Emma Fifield,	25
Patrick Dolan	70	Ann Greenleaf,	50
W. L. Fairfield,	62	Martha Howe,	51
David A. Graves,	27	Mary Hill,	44
Francis Lyford,	90	Olive Hill,	64
Alonzo M. Lewis,	14	Sally Hoitt,	62
Horace Merrill,	66	Mary Ann Johnson,	45
C. H. Merrill,	34	M. A. Buzzell,	38
James Laragay,	22	Lydia Lovett,	75
Eben C. Nute,	47	Anna Luxman,	32
Joshua Parshley,	76	M. A. Ladd,	47
Chase Pike,	81	Cordelia Lamprey,	56
James Sargent,	12	Susan Leavitt,	64
N. D. Smith,	48	Margaret Marsh,	55
Nathan Sanborn,	80	Emma Merrill,	14
Jacob Thompson,	76	Rebecca Nutter,	29
Jonathan Weeks,	72	Belle Leathers,	21
Charles Wentworth,	19	Sally Pervier,	75
James Quimby,	73	Dolly Prescott,	39
George Walker,	10	Sally Sanborn,	86
		Hannah Smith,	80
		Mary E. Staples,	49
		L. M. Shaw,	2
		Eleanor Twombly,	47
		Sarah Vaughan,	95
		Mahala Whittier,	67
FEMALES.			
Sally Cotton,	65		
Susan Dockham,	73		
Elizabeth Edgerly,	69		
Charlotte Dalton,	46		

Names and ages of persons who have died at the County
Farm during the past year.

Moses Mitchell,	69	Polly Morse,	88
Prescott Jones,	23	Hannah Roberts,	80
Samuel Mudgett,	74		

HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

To the County Commissioners,

Gentlemen:

The number of persons committed to the House of Correction the past year was thirty-nine, for the following offences: Vagabond, 1; Common Drunkards, 14; Drunk and intoxicated, 11; Idle and Disorderly, 3; Embezzlement, 1; Assault, 1; Tramps, 8.

In consequence of the large number at the House of Correction the expenses for board and clothing have been larger than usual. Only \$35.88 in cash for fines and costs has been received, while the remaining amount has been paid in labor by those who could not pay in cash. Much of the labor performed has been for permanent improvements on the farm and buildings, for which the County will realize much benefit, hereafter.

Several who have been at the House of Correction have become steady, industrious, and good citizens. It is hoped that others will follow their example.

COUNTY JAIL.

The number of persons committed to Jail the past year was six, for the following offences: Assault, 1; Fornication, 1; Taxes, 1; Stealing, 1; Incendiary, 2.

Committed to State Prison, 3; Discharged, 3. There is no person in jail at present.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. WOODMAN,

Supt. of House of Correction and Deputy Jailor.

In presenting the Annual Report of expenditures in maintaining the County Poor, we would briefly say for the year the number of County Paupers has largely increased, the changing of the law in regard to gaining town settlements having thrown nearly all the town paupers upon the County, thus while largely increasing

the expenses of the County, in due proportion decreasing the expenses of the several towns.

We have a large number of County Paupers besides those supported at the farm, many of them being supported as cheap, and, in many instances, cheaper than they could be at the farm. While there are a number of aged people that cannot be removed to the County farm, and while they live it will cost more to support them than it would at the County farm.

The County Farm and Alms House have been under the superintendence of Wm. S. Woodman and wife, who have managed the same with reference to the comfort of the inmates, for the interest of the County, and, as heretofore, to the entire satisfaction of the Commissioners. Their services have been secured for another year.

During the past year a building one and one-half stories high, 26x80 feet, has been built, and is used for a wood, wash, and dry house, which was much needed, there being no building suitable for the storage of wood, or for washing and drying clothes, which has to be done daily, the lumber for the same being taken from the farm, while the labor of building the same with the exception of a portion of the carpenter and mason work, was done by the Superintendent and the ordinary help on the farm.

We further say that the buildings on the County farm are all nearly new, convenient and well adapted for the purpose for which they were erected, and no further buildings will be necessary for many years to come, the only expense for buildings will be the ordinary repairs on the same.

The Commissioners have deemed it proper to include in this Report a condensed statement of the transactions of the Superintendent of the County Farm and Alms House, showing his receipts and expenditures in managing that institution, believing it will be satisfactory to the tax-payers of the County.

Also, hereto annexed will be found the Report of the County Treasurer, giving a very satisfactory statement of the financial standing of the County.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

AMOS L. ROLLINS,	}	Commissioners for Belknap County.
SYLVESTER S. WIGGIN,		
DAVID C. CLOUGH,		

REPORT OF CLERK.

To the County Commissioners of Belknap County :

As required by law, I hereby render to you an account of my receipts and disbursements as Clerk of the Circuit Court for said County.

Received for entry fees,	\$ 79.20
Received for fines and cost of Samuel Merrill, Alonzo Bickford, Nathaniel Boynton, John McKendrick,	120.00
Received for fines and cost of D. W. Shaw,	20.60
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	\$219.80

I have charged said County as follows :

Commission on entry fees,	\$ 1.97
Paid for stamps,	6.00
Paid to County Treasurer,	140.60
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	\$148.67
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Balance,	\$71.13

The balance of seventy-one dollars and thirteen cents has been accounted for on settlement with the Presiding Justice, at the March Term of said Court, 1875.

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1875.

Fine and costs of H. C. Currier,	\$234.39
Jury fee,	5.00
Entry fees,	99.00
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	\$338.39
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Paid express and telegram,	\$ 1.50
Paid for postage stamps,	11.00

Paid to County Treasurer,	239.39	_____
		\$251.89
Balance,		\$76.50

The balance of seventy-six dollars and fifty cents has been accounted for on settlement with the Presiding Justice at said term. O. A. J. VAUGHAN, Clerk.

REPORT OF COUNTY TREASURER.

RECEIPTS,

From March 1, 1875, to March 1, 1876.

By balance from E. C. Lewis, late Treasurer,	\$17,144.47
From Nathaniel Robinson,	13.25
John McKenzie,	20.34
State vs. J. H. Batchelder,	10.00
J. Ela and als., sureties for D. S. Bedee,	120.00
William Lewis,	22.50
O. A. J. Vaughan, fines and costs,	140.60
G. H. Brown, for License,	10.00
John Gilman,	5.00
Edwin Willey,	4.50
S. D. Davis,	3.00
J. F. Webster,	4.42
Philip Perry,	5.00
O. A. J. Vaughan, for fines,	270.39
County tax paid,	24,598.70
Cash of Merrimack County,	150.00

	\$42,522.17

EXPENDITURES.

Paid for Services and Fees.

E. C. Lewis, extra services as Treasurer,	\$ 10.00
C. C. Rogers, salary as Solicitor,	125.00
A. L. Rollins, services and expenses as Com'r,	121.50
J. W. Wells, " " "	138.82
S. S. Wiggins, " " "	203.50

B. E. Thurston, services as Sheriff, one year,	\$130.00
C. C. Rogers, Solicitor,	125.00
S. S. Wiggin, Commissioner,	150.50
A. L. Rollins, “	142.00
D. C. Clough, “	104.00
A. H. Jones, Treasurer,	150.00
W. S. Woodman, Superintendent,	900.00

\$2,300.32

Farm use,	3,800.00
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NOTES AND INTEREST.

Abbie A. Paine,	\$283.64	Noah Peabody,	\$997.64
Frank A. Heath,	110.78	Isabella W. Peabody	407.18
“ “	117.14	S. H. Jacobs,	243.34
Addie M. Heath,	117.14	Horatio N. March,	524.12
Louisa H. Allen,	235.25	Joshua March,	357.83
Nathaniel Edwards,	12.00	J. B. Robinson,	130.32
Wm. A. Bucklin,	232.47	Noah Peabody,	607.75
Ira Davis,	45.00	C. M. Taylor,	2,146.83
Chase W. Colby,	155.25	Dana Woodman,	485.12
Putnam Batchelder,	120.00	Samuel O. Reed,	61.14
W. S. Woodman,	431.11	Putnam Batchelder,	120.00
Wm. P. Whidden,	791.92		
A. R. Price,	799.05		
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			\$9,532.02

COURT EXPENSES.

Grand Jury pay-roll, March term,	\$ 96.96
Petit Jury " "	165.00
" " "	3.56
Nathaniel Edwards, Messenger,	32.00
A. B. Wyatt, State v. Curtice and Shaw,	18.86
State v. Hiram C. Currier,	13.67
" " "	3.95
G. W. Emerson, conveying H. C. Currier, to the House of Correction,	3.20
B. E. Thurston, services State v. E. Collins,	5.49
" " Court expenses, March term,	88.48
Morrill & Silsby, four waste dockets,	3.50
O. A. J. Vaughan, bill March term,	89.73

C. H. True, State v. Merrill, Boynton & Bickford, \$	30.00
State v. Merrill et als.,	79.26
“ Morrill B. Doe,	20.02
“ Hiram C. Currier,	28.52
Referees fees,	128.50
“ “ Pettengill vs. Savage,	10.00
“ “ Johnson v. Boardman,	25.00
C. H. True, State v. J. McKendrick, forfeiture,	10.00
O. A. J. Vaughan, fees, State v. Rolo and Swain,	8.00
A. J. Hart, fees, State v. A. G. Rolo,	6.12
“ “ Hill, Driscoll and Ranlet,	16.69
“ “ Frank Ushel,	3.12
Simeon Whiting, fees, State v. D. L. Swain,	6.15
“ “ W. H. Mallard,	5.85
A. L. Morrison, State v. J. Sullivan, Mar. T. 1874,	1.37
J. B. Sanborn, State v. Solon McKenney,	21.94
Town of Meredith, State v. W. H. Swain,	28.97
O. A. J. Vaughan, Superior Court, June term,	66.00
C. F. Stone; fees, State v. Ashton and Merrill,	7.00
B. E. Thurston, fees, State v. Wm. Ashton,	4.24
Geo. W. Hicks, fees, State v. C. H. Merrill,	3.99
“ “ “ J. B. Delaney,	6.48
“ “ “ John Aldrich,	5.98
“ “ “ Thomas Rowan,	5.98
“ “ “ Knowles & Keaston,	11.70
E. E. Cutting, fees, State v. Odell Sanborn,	4.46
O. A. J. Vaughan, fees, State v. J. B. Delaney,	4.00
“ “ “ Odell Sanborn,	4.00
“ “ “ John Aldrich,	4.00
“ “ “ Thos. Rowan,	4.00
“ “ “ F. L. Hill,	4.00
“ “ “ Tim Driscoll,	4.00
“ “ “ F. E. Ranlett,	4.00
“ “ “ Hawkins, Mallard,	
“ “ “ Knowles & Kaston	16.00
“ “ “ Swain and Jewett,	12.00
“ “ “ Walter Tatro,	4.00
“ “ “ R. H. Pope,	4.00
“ “ bill Sept. term, 1875,	201.70
Nathaniel Edwards, services as Messenger,	24.00

Petit Jury pay-roll, Sept. term, 1875,	\$ 4.16
“ “ “ “	809.76
Grand Jury “ “ “	94.26
State v. James M. Hall, March term, 1874,	1.37
“ Sylvester Pickering,	19.55
C. C. Rogers, fees, State v. Hicks and Posinit,	28.51
A. J. Hart, fees, State v. J. W. Hawkins,	6.22
A. B. Wyatt, cost, State v. R. F. Whisher,	8.12
B. E. Thurston, fees, State v. Walter Tatro,	20.62
“ “ “ Frank N. Page,	20.61
“ “ “ R. H. Pope,	34.62
“ “ Sheriff fees, Sept. term, 1875,	307.77
State v. T. Conner and N. Leslie,	23.23
“ “ “	303.25
“ “ “	199.04
A. B. Wyatt, fees, State v. Frank E. Rollins,	11.40
E. P. Harrington, fees, State v. Jewett and Swain,	8.24
Morrill & Silsby, dockets for Circuit Court,	14.00
Referee's fees, Crayton v. Noyes,	12.00
“ Session v. Lang,	18.50
“ Young v. German Am. Ins. Co.,	25.00
“ Young v. Nat. Fire Ins. Co.,	25.00
“ Young v. N. H. Fire Ins. Co.,	50.00
“ Jaques v. Bartlett et al.,	12.00
“ Ordway v. Morrill et al.,	6.00
“ Larkin v. Wadleigh,	3.00
“ Heath v. Sweetser,	3.00
“ Sanborn v. White,	10.00
“ Sanborn v. Sawyer,	16.80
“ Bailey v. Hart,	10.00
“ Putnam v. Robinson,	3.00
“ Sanborn v. Batchelder,	15.00
“ L. V. Savings Bank v. Smart,	10.00
“ Sleeper & Smart v. Plumer,	10.00
“ Dexter v. Moore,	3.00
“ Winkley v. Babb,	3.00
“ Sanbornton v. town of Tilton,	66.00
“ Parsons v. Wilson,	8.17
“ Philbrick v. Wilson,	8.17
Referee's fees, Hill & Philbrick v. Wilson,	8.17

Referee's fees, Watson v. Gilman,	\$ 3.00
“ Blaisdell & Co., v. Smith,	13.00
“ Smith v. Prescott,	16.96
“ Blaisdell & Co., v. Clark,	11.00
“ Ward v. Robinson,	15.00
“ Wilcomb v. Plummer,	12.00
“ Twombly v. Twombly,	8.00
“ Bonney v. Stevens,	12.50
“ Putnam v. True,	3.00
E. E. Cutting, fees, State v. Harris and Scott,	5.24
“ “ Wentworth & Thompson,	7.24
Jewell & Smith, fees, State v. Batchelder et al.,	28.00
“ “ Ushel and 5 others,	25.00
State v. Sylvester Pickering,	48.77
O. A. J. Vaughan, per bill,	59.50
“ “ fees, State v. D. L. Swain	
and five others,	24.00
A. J. Hart, fees, State v. Swain and others,	14.48
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	\$3,906.67

PAUPER ACCOUNT.

G. M. Riley aid to C. F. Smith,	\$15.00
J. W. Wells, aid to transient paupers,	13.65
T. E. Clough & Son, do.,	2.00
“ “ “ aid to M. A. Danforth,	4.00
Town of Gilmanton, aid to E. L. Breckenridge,	34.00
Joseph Knwles, board of Polly Morse,	25.00
Town of Meredith, aid to Edna M. Wescott,	89.65
Joseph Brown, aid to J. M. Jones' family,	29.28
N. A. Philbrook, aid to Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	2.50
J. M. Flanders, aid to Ruth Smith,	14.17
N. Wight, med. aid to Nath'l Robinson,	13.25
J. F. Moulton, board of J. Dockham and wife,	6.50
J. C. French, aid to transient pauper,	2.00
H. E. Marsh, supplies for paupers,	26.25
J. C. Avery, funeral expense of F. E. Hall,	12.00
Hannah J. Ladd, board of Wm. Prescott & wife,	26.00
Ira H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	36.00
D. W. Judkins, aid to transient poor,	5.50

J. W. Wells, aid to C. F. Smith,	\$13.87
“ “ “ M. A. Danforth,	4.73
Geo. L. Mead, aid to transient pauper,	2.38
D. F. & J. C. Moore, med. aid to Sam'l Davis,	3.00
“ “ “ Mrs. Knowles,	3.00
“ “ “ John Foskett,	7.50
“ “ “ Mrs. Doane,	37.35
Town of Laconia, aid to John Hayes,	9.70
“ “ Timothy Breen,	19.12
“ “ Thomas Galager,	38.20
“ “ Charles F. Pickering,	5.19
C. W. Perkins, med. aid to J. Richards and wife,	16.00
John Nutter, aid to Lois Babb,	13.00
E. G. Ladd, aid to Mrs. A. Clark,	8.25
“ “ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	8.25
N. L. True, med. aid to Mary Clifford,	16.50
“ “ “ Mary Laundry and boy,	5.50
“ “ “ Mrs. Frank Dawson,	14.00
S. S. Wiggin, for transient paupers,	7.32
Geo. Sanborn, med. aid to J. D. Prescott,	.75
“ “ “ J. M. Stevens,	.50
“ “ “ E. Berry and wife,	17.00
“ “ “ J. B. Swain boy,	5.00
“ “ “ B. F. Rollins,	11.31
“ “ “ Francis E. Hall,	10.00
T. E. Ladd aid to Downs family,	10.00
Elisha Wadleigh aid to J. Richards and wife,	32.50
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Mrs. D. Haskell,	7.55
“ “ “ John Foskett,	8.42
“ “ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	7.05
“ “ “ Henry Moulton	2.20
“ “ “ William Lewis,	6.50
“ “ “ John Bisso,	8.15
“ “ “ Samuel Mudgett,	1.68
“ “ “ Joseph Shaw,	2.54
“ “ “ Lucinda Wiser,	3.92
“ “ “ Mary Clifford,	2.75
“ “ “ Nancy Doane,	8.75
“ “ “ John Gilman,	5.55
“ “ “ J. T. Webster,	9.82

J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Samuel Mudgett,	\$ 3.99
“ “ Ed. Willey,	2.44
“ “ Mary Lacour,	147.93
“ “ John Gilman,	.92
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	8.27
“ “ Henry Moulton,	12.05
“ “ J. T. Webster,	11.22
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	11.47
“ “ Mrs. Nancy Doane,	4.85
“ “ John Biso,	9.04
“ “ Ed. Willey,	7.66
“ “ C. F. Pickering,	6.57
“ “ John Hayes,	5.00
“ “ Lucinda Wiser,	1.65
“ “ John Pickering,	3.47
“ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	10.66
“ “ Timothy Breen,	5.57
Town of Laconia for Charles V. Pickering,*	26.00
“ “ John Lowry,*	26.00
“ “ Lini Lowry,*	26.00
“ “ aid to Mary Lacour,	20.72
Town of Tilton aid to F. Elliott's family,	18.75
N. L. True, med. aid to Mrs. Lacour,	11.00
“ “ Joseph Biso,	5.00
A. L. Rollins aid to transient pauper,	1.50
Jones & Sawyer, aid to Julia A. Stevens,	21.00
P. H. Wheeler, med. aid to A. Farnham,	8.75
Horace Davis, for board of Eben Bridges,	19.00
E. G. Kelley, aid to transient pauper,	1.50
Edward Varney, aid to John McKinnie,	8.34
“ “ Isaac Downs,	3.00
“ “ Nath'l Robinson,	.79
N. L. True, med. aid to Timothy Breen,	12.00
S. S. Wiggin, aid to Joseph Porie's family,	30.00
H. A. Davis, undertaker for Mrs. Mary Lacour,	6 50
“ “ Unknown child,	2.50
True Edgerly, aid to Esther C. Eaton,	22.00
Town of Alton, aid to Leonard Place,	19.00
Hannah J. Ladd, aid to W. Prescott and wife,	28.50

L. T. Weeks, med. aid to Sam'l Mudgett,	\$ 7.00
Town of Alton, aid to J. P., Geo., & E. J. Leavitt,	95.00
John Nutter, aid to Lois Babb,	13.00
J. H. Harmon, aid to E. Berry and wife,	25.14
Geo. L. Mead, aid to Perry boy,	2.00
" " " J. H. Pickering,	12.75
" " " T. Gallager,	4.00
" " " J. Porie,	41.78
Town of Laconia, aid to Leonard Colburn,	59.39
Sleeper & Winslow, aid to John Biso,	25.00
Sally Smith, aid to Polly Moore,	32.50
L. T. Weeks, med. aid to Mrs. Cogswell's boy,	5.50
C. W. Perkins, med. aid to Mrs. Jona. Richards,	10.00
J. H. Fifield, aid to transient pauper,	6.00
Town of Gilford, aid to " "	8.55
Joseph Brown, aid to Jas. M. Jones' family,	25.52
Chas. G. Kelley, do.,	36.50
Town of Tilton, aid to transient paupers,	35.45
" " " Freeman Elliott,	3.00
" " " James Jones,	27.50
" " " Fred Shaw,*	26.00
" " " Frank A. Reed,*	26.00
Town of Meredith, aid to transient pauper,	13.70
I. H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	27.00
Frederick Buxton, aid to Mrs. John Dockham,	9.60
N. Wight, med. aid to J. McKenzie,	6.75
" " " Nath'l Robinson,	5.25
" " " Isaac Downs,	3.75
" " " Mrs. E. Danforth,	2.25
D. F. & J. C. Moore, med. aid to E. Willey & wife,	10.50
P. H. Wheeler, med. aid to Mrs. A. Farnham,	5.00
Horace Davis, board of Eben Bridges,	11.00
J. J. Hoadley, aid to Isaac Downs,	5.00
" " " John McKenzie,	7.87
D. T. Ladd, coffin for Mrs. Lacour,	6.00
D. F. & J. C. Moore, med. aid to Mrs. E. Willey,	10.50
" " " Mrs. Knowles,	15.00
" " " Mrs. Doane,	21.25
" " " John Foskett,	18.00

* At the Reform School.

Ira H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	\$27.00
N. L. True, med. aid to Leonard Colburn,	11.00
Estate of D. S. Prescott, med. aid to Mary Lacour,	2.00
“ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	7.50
“ “ Mary Bushno,	3.70
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Henry Moulton,	12.39
“ “ D. A. Haskell,	2.00
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	4.80
“ “ Ed. Willey,	2.00
“ “ John Biso,	2.50
“ “ Transient paupers,	12.82
“ “ Leonard Colburn,	20.87
“ “ Isaac A. Downs,	8.00
“ “ Nancy A. Doane,	6.50
“ “ Joseph Porie,	63.26
Town of Laconia, aid to James Patterson,	35.00
“ “ Leonard Colburn,	6.50
Town of Gilmanton, aid to Mary A. Gilman,	7.00
“ “ Edwin S. Gilman,	12.00
“ “ Louisa L. Maxfield,	6.00
“ “ Polly Hutchinson,	12.00
Town of Gilford, aid to John A. Dearborn,	175.00
“ “ Gilford Follett and wife,	14.50
“ “ Daniel B. Leavitt,	7.00
“ “ S. D. Davis,	4.00
Town of Barnstead, aid to Mark Pitman,	8.00
“ “ Joshua Parshley,	6.00
“ “ John Merrill and wife,	16.75
“ “ Otis F. Hill and wife,	8.75
Town of Tilton, aid to transient paupers,	11.00
“ “ Fred Shaw,*	26.00
“ “ Frank A. Reed,*	26.00
“ “ Solon McKenny,*	25.14
Joseph Brown, aid to James M. Jones' family,	11.23
Sarah Bean, aid to Mrs. John Dockham,	13.00
Town of Meredith, aid to Wm. H. Swain,*	52.00
H. Palmer, med. aid to Moses Stevens,	14.37
Town of Alton, aid to George Walker,	4.00
“ “ Hannah Roberts,	5.00
“ “ Jona. Tebbetts,	8.00

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Town of Alton, aid to Eben C. Nute,	\$ 4.00
“ “ David Lougee and wife,	5.00
Town of Laconia, for John Lowry,*	26.00
“ “ Charles V. Pickering,*	13.43
“ aid to Charles W. Wentworth,	4.50
“ “ Hannah Gilman,	6.00
Town of Tilton, aid to transient paupers,	10.74
I. H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	27.00
Hannah Ladd, aid to Wm. Prescott and wife,	31.50
True Edgerly, aid to Esther C. Eaton,	18.00
A. F. Shackford, aid to Otis Hill,	5.00
“ “ “ Ebenezer Bridges,	3.16
Horace Davis, board of Ebenezer Bridges,	11.00
Henry Davis, aid to John D. Bean,	38.75
Town of Gilmanton, aid to Leavitt Weeks,	81.00
“ “ “ Jona. S. Buzzell,	15.00
A. J. Thompson, med. aid to County paupers,	21.00
Town of New Hampton, aid to Nathan D. Smith,	18.00
“ “ “ Martha D. Howe,	27.00
Sarah Bean, board of Mrs. John Dockham,	12.25
D. B. Nelson, med. aid to Polly Dockham,	35.10
E. E. Maxfield, board of Mary A. Gilman's child,	4.00
Joseph N. Sanborn, wood for John Gilman,	5.00
Town of New Hampton, aid to W. L. Fairfield,	18.00
David C. Clough, aid to Ellen Gilman,	8.82
Town of Sanbornton, aid to Richard Calef,	7.00
“ “ “ Hannah, Debra and	
“ “ “ Mary Silver,	4.00
Town of Meredith, aid to Mrs. G. S. Batchelder,	18.00
“ “ “ Mrs. Priscilla Pickering	
“ “ “ and child,	20.00
“ “ “ Edna M. Wescott,	3.20
E. Wadleigh, aid to Jona. Richards and wife,	32.50
C. W. Perkins, med. aid to Jona. Richards,	7.50
Town of Laconia, aid to John Twombly,	38.53
C. G. Kelley, aid to James M. Jones,	10.00
Town of Meredith, aid to Geo. S. Batchelder,	7.50
“ “ “ Harmon Robinson,	5.00
Town of Barnstead, aid to Betsey Clough,	14.00
Hiram Pitman, aid to Mark Pitman,	37.50

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N. Wight, med. aid to	Isaac Downs,	\$16.50
"	Lyford C. Hill,	1.50
"	Nath'l Robinson,	.75
"	Mrs. E. Danforth,	2.25
"	Mrs. Daniel Downs,	21.00
"	John McKenzie,	4.50
"	Charles F. Smith,	1.50
"	Henry Burnham,	1.17
D. F. & J. C. Moore, med. aid to	Mrs. E. Willey,	14.00
"	Mrs. Knowles,	5.00
"	Mrs. Doane,	25.75
"	John Foskett,	17.50
Town of Laconia, aid to	Elizabeth Varney,	17.25
"	Charles L. Young,	9.96
"	David Colby,	9.55
L. T. Weeks, med. aid to transient paupers,		14.50
Horace M. Parshley, board of	Joshua Parshley,	13.50
Town of Tilton, for	Fred Shaw,*	26.00
"	Frank A. Reed,*	26.00
"	Solon McKenney,*	26.00
Horace Davis, for board of	Eben Bridges,	8.00
Town of Alton, aid to	Levi B. Glidden's family,	61.25
"	Jona. Woodman's family,	34.50
"	Enoch Flanders and wife,	5.00
"	Eben C. Nute,	9.00
"	George Walker,	9.00
"	Hannah Roberts,	9.00
"	Jonathan Tebbetts,	18.87
Jones & Sawyer, aid to	Julia A. Stevens,	30.00
Albert F. Shackford, aid to	O. F. Hill's family,	12.00
P. H. Wheeler, med. aid to	A. Farnham's family,	3.25
M. H. Merrow, aid to	Lydia Mitchell,	34.63
"	Ruth Smith,	26.22
"	Susan Hoyt and son,	62.15
F. Hutchinson, board of	Polly Hutchinson,	35.00
Town of Gilmanton, aid to	Charles H. Pierce,	20.15
"	Richard Lamprey,	4.62
F. L. Mason, med aid to	Edwin Johnson,	5.00
"	Julia Sanborn,	8.00
"	Mrs. Haskell,	2.00

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John Connell & Co., aid to Edwin S. Gilman,	\$35.00
Town of Laconia, for C. L. Young at asylum,	29.57
“ “ John Lowry,*	26.00
“ “ Lini Lowry,*	28.00
“ “ aid to Clara A. Davis,	16.58
N. L. True, med. aid to Mrs. A. Clark,	20.00
L. T. Weeks, med. aid to Lacour boy,	8.00
John P. Leavitt, aid to Daniel B. Leavitt,	10.00
D. F. & J. C. Moore, med. aid to John Aldrich,	38.50
Ira H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	24.00
“ “	15.00
Edwin E. Maxfield, aid to Belle Gilman,	8.00
Town of Gilford, aid to Joseph D. Moulton,	31.60
“ “ Emma V. Davis,	10.00
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Transient paupers,	39.34
“ “ Henry Moulton,	39.76
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	17.50
“ “ Wm. Patterson,	34.45
“ “ Leonard Colburn,	7.66
“ “ Mrs. Betsey Doane,	9.61
“ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	4.17
“ “ John Twombly,	37.01
“ “ Daniel B. Leavitt,	7.00
“ “ J. T. Webster,	2.50
“ “ Ed. Willey,	21.70
“ “ Lucinda Wiser,	5.50
“ “ Harmon Robinson,	15.00
“ “ Clara Davis,	39.23
T. S. Foster, med. aid to Moulton girl,	13.30
Town of Belmont, for Walter Tatro,*	25.71
“ aid to Olive Farrar,	5 00
John P. Thompson, aid to Betsey Thompson,	5 00
Nathan S. Davis, aid to Wesley L. Davis,	2.50
Town of Gilford, aid to John L. Davis and wife,	5.73
A. W. Abbott, med. aid to Orin Rollins,	10.50
True Edgerly, board of Esther C. Eaton,	13.00
Town of Laconia, aid to transient pauper,	8.29
Town of New Hampton, aid to Wm. C. Sanborn,	8.00
J. J. Hoadley, aid to Isaac Downs,	20.00
“ “ Henry Burnham,	10.00

* At the Reform School.

John P. Thompson, board of Betsey Thompson,	\$ 4.00
Hannah Ladd, aid to Wm. Prescott and wife,	43.60
Town of Gilmanton, aid to N. B. Young & wife,	4.00
“ “ for Frank N. Page,*	7.43
John Connell & Co., aid to Edwin S. Gilman,	20.00
Town of Meredith, for Wm. H. Swain,*	26.00
Joseph Brown, aid to Jas. M. Jones' family,	9.63
“ “ Louisa Maxfield,	26.25
E. E. Maxfield, aid to Belle Gilman,	8.00
Town of Belmont, aid to Mrs. Olive Farrar,	3.75
“ “ Thomas F. Danforth,	2.50
Lavina Gray, aid to Betsey Clough,	24.00
D. P. Evans, coffin, &c., for Mrs. A. Farnham,	13.00
Town of Alton, aid to Clara Chamberlain,	15.00
A. L. Rollins, carrying paupers to County farm,	4.50
Mrs. H. Elliott, aid to Benj. Lamprey and wife,	14.00
S. S. Wiggin, aid to David Colby,	7.00
D. T. Ladd, coffin for Jones boy,	6.00
G. L. Sleeper & Co., aid to David Colby,	5.78
Town of Laconia, aid to Mary A. Johnson,	34.00
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to John Biso's family,	92.92
“ “ James Patterson,	20.48
“ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	15.21
“ “ Harmon Robinson,	15.00
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	15.30
“ “ J. L. Davis,	10.60
“ “ J. T. Webster,	4.25
“ “ John Foskett,	3.47
“ “ C. F. Pickering,	4.37
“ “ Joseph Chase,	7.88
“ “ Betsey Doane,	7.38
“ “ Mrs. J. A. Davis,	58.21
“ “ Ed. Willey,	26.88
“ “ John Twombly,	17.25
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	14.00
“ “ Henry Moulton,	22.57
Jones & Sawyer, aid to A. Farnham's family,	3.91
“ “ Jas. M. Jones' family,	7.37
“ “ Jonathan Woodman,	5.00
“ “ Levi B. Glidden's family,	23.00

* At the Reform School.

T. S. Foster, med. aid to Mrs. John A. Davis,	\$30.30
C. P. Emerson, aid to David Lougee and wife,	14.00
Mooney & Varney, aid to Ebenezer Bridges,	12.30
Chas. G. Kelley, aid to James M. Jones' family,	29.00
P. C. Wheeler, med. aid to Mrs. Jona. Woodman,	2.00
Town of Alton, aid to Clara Chamberlain,	5.20
" " " at Asylum,	56.53
" " Lavina Ricker,	27.50
John Nutter, Board of Lois Babb,	36.00
D. U. Clough, aid to Mrs. Silvers' family,	65.00
Town of Laconia, aid to transient paupers,	7.88
" " John Lowry,*	26.00
" " Lini Lowry,*	26.00
" " Robert Pope,*	26.00
" " Charles W. Crockett,	10.00
" " Mrs. J. Brake,	6.50
" " C. L. Young at asylum,	29.57
" " Susan Leavitt,	23.68
" " Mary R. Pingree,	93.56
" " Isair Lavvie,	15.25
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Transient paupers,	14.18
" " Leonard Colburn,	7.89
" " Wm. Lewis,	1.17
" " C. F. Smith,	5.00
" " Mrs. J. Brake,	2.00
" " Mary R. Pingree,	3.78
N. L. True, med. aid to Mrs. J. Brake,	2.75
" " Transient paupers,	30.00
" " James Patterson and wife,	12.25
" " Mrs. B. Lamprey,	3.00
Town of Meredith, aid to Charles H. Sceggel,	30.00
" " W. N. Swain,*	26.00
Town of Tilton, for Fred Shaw,*	26.00
" " Frank A. Reed,*	26.00
" " Solon McKenney,*	26.00
" " aid to John Wells,	9.75
Town of Gilford, aid to Mark Small,	8.00
Nathan S. Davis, aid to Wesley E. Davis,	4.00
W. E. S. Foss, med. aid to E. Berry's family,	25.00

* At the Reform School.

D. F. & J. C. Moore, aid to Mrs. E. Willey,	\$19.00
“ “ “ Mrs. Knowles,	1.00
“ “ “ Mrs. Doane,	11.00
“ “ “ John Foskeft,	10.00
“ “ med. aid to Mrs. J. L. Davis,	30.00
John P. Thompson, aid to Betsey Thompson,	4 00
Wm. P. Leavitt, for J. D. Moulton at Asylum,	32.56
Edwin Varney, aid to Isaac H. Downs' family,	10.00
Ira H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	24.00
Town of Gilmanton, for Frank N. Page,	26.00
Jona. Brown, board of Lucy J. Gilman,	26.00
Town of Belmont, for Walter Tatro,*	26.00
Oliver L. Sanborn, aid to Mrs. Olive Farrar,	5.29
C. E. Moody, “ “	6.54
Total,	<hr/> \$6,423.95

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

S. S. Wiggin, for gas at Court House,	1.50
J. H. Tilton & Co., wood, etc., for Court House,	39.92
S. B. Smith, carpeting for Court House,	12.45
B. W. Sanborn & Co., two vols. N. H. Reports,	7.00
E. B. Beaman, binding Laws and County Reports,	25.57
O. A. J. Vaughan, for printing,	202.68
F. W. Miller, printing circulars,	2.00
E. B. Beaman, binding book for Reg. of Deeds,	10.00
Morrill & Silsby, blanks for Reg. of Probate,	29.50
John Woodman, sawing wood for Court House,	10.00
Carter, Rice & Co., two reams legal letter and ex- press,	7.60
O. A. J. Vaughan, printing Treasurer's Report and Blanks,	35.50
S. W. Sanders, tinning roof of Court House,	44.38
F. W. Miller, printing circulars,	3.00
A. G. Hull, services and expenses of inquest on unknown child,	64.50
J. L. Dixon, taxes on County Farm,	90.94

* At the Reform School.

Nath'l Edwards, P. O. stamps for Probate Court,	\$ 4.50
J. H. Tilton & Co., paint for Court House,	2.93
S. S. Wiggin, for gas at Court House,	1.00
J. P. Boodey, Record blanks for County,	32.60
E. B. Beaman, alphabets for Reg. of Deeds,	5.00
Morrill & Silsby, for blanks,	36.50
O. A. J. Vaughan, printing blanks,	33.25
B. W. Sanborn,	24.00
Mansur & Knight, chair for Reg. of Deeds,	5.00
W. L. Melcher & Co., insuring County buildings,	57.50
J. F. Merrill, grave stones at County Farm,	28.00
J. H. Tilton & Co., labor and materials for Court House,	2.50
S. W. Sanders, stove pipe and zinc for Reg. of Deeds' office,	12.72
Morrill & Silsby, blanks for Probate Court,	33.30
E. B. Beaman, binding Record book for Reg. of Deeds,	10.00
S. S. Wiggin, Ag't, for gas at Court House,	5.00
F. J. Robinson, fire extinguisher at County Farm,	200.00
S. B. Smith, Carpet for Reg. of Deeds' Room,	24.90
Edson C. Eastman, stationery for County use,	25.25
Carter, Rice & Co., " "	16.12
O. A. J. Vaughan, blanks for Belknap County,	6.50
Total,	<u>\$1,153.11</u>

RECAPITULATION.

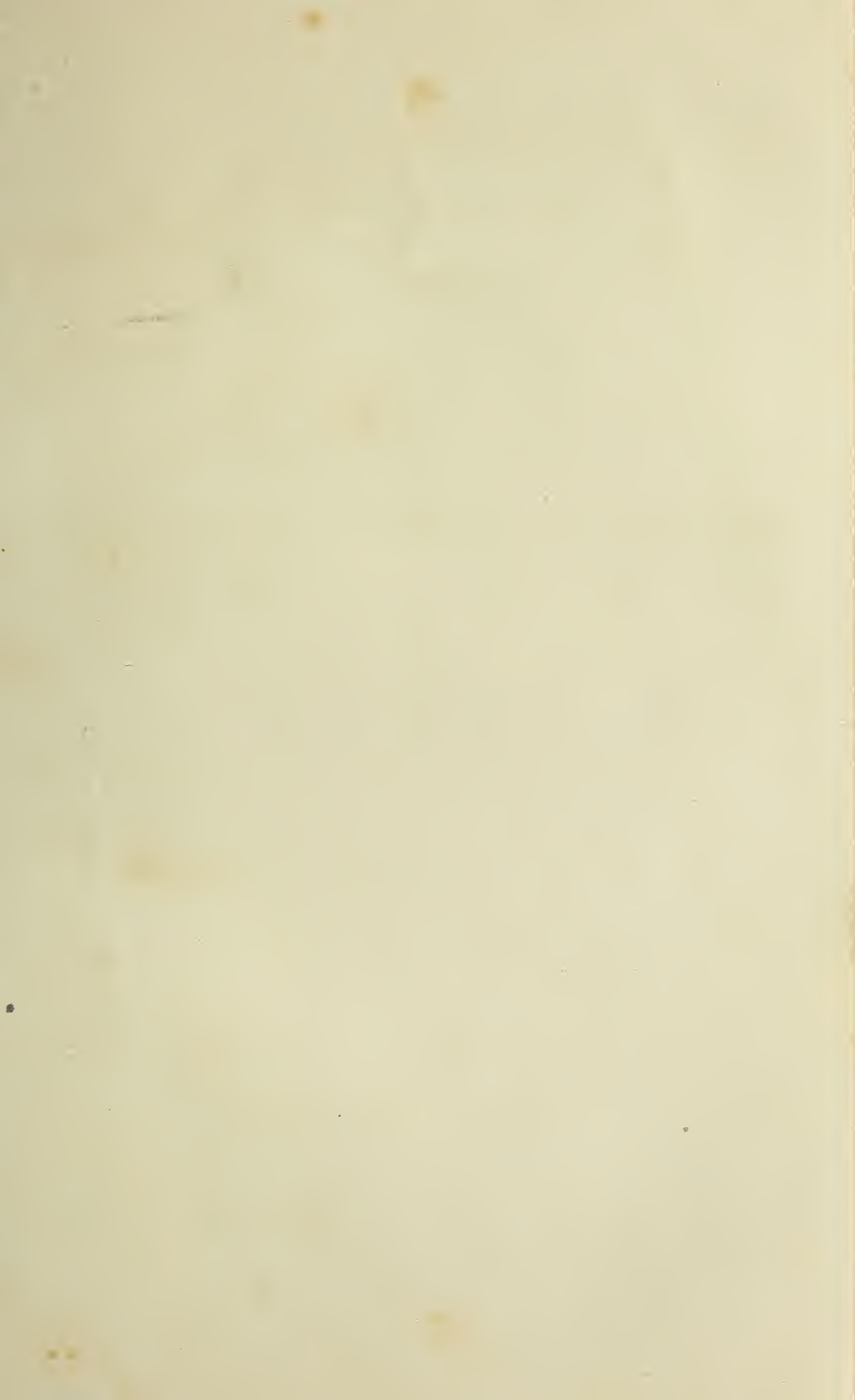
Receipts,	\$42,522.17
EXPENSES.	
Services and Fees,	\$2,300.32
Farm use,	3,800.00
Notes and interest,	9,532.02
Court expenses,	3,906.67
Pauper account,	6,423.95
Miscellaneous,	1,153.11
Cash on hand, March 1st, 1876,	15,406.10
	<u>\$42,522.17</u>

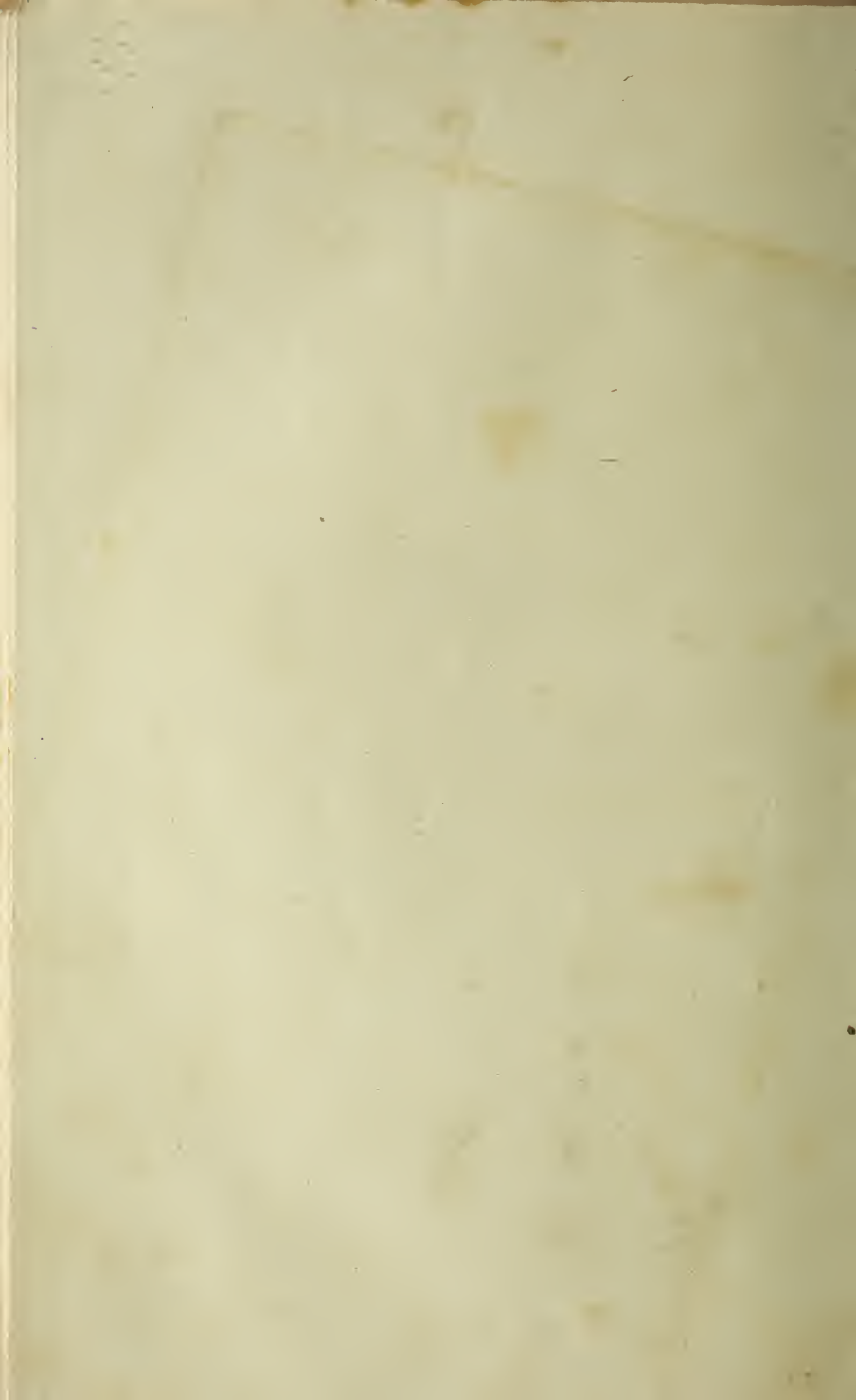
COUNTY DEBT.

Principal,	-	-	-	-	-	\$33,449.96
Interest to March 1st, 1876,	-	-	-	-	-	5,318.54
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Notes outstanding,	-	-	-	-	-	\$38,768.50
Cash on hand,	-	-	-	-	-	\$15,406.10
County tax due,	-	-	-	-	-	401.30
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						\$15,807.40

Debt, less cash on hand and County tax due. \$22,961.10

AMOS H. JONES, County Treasurer.





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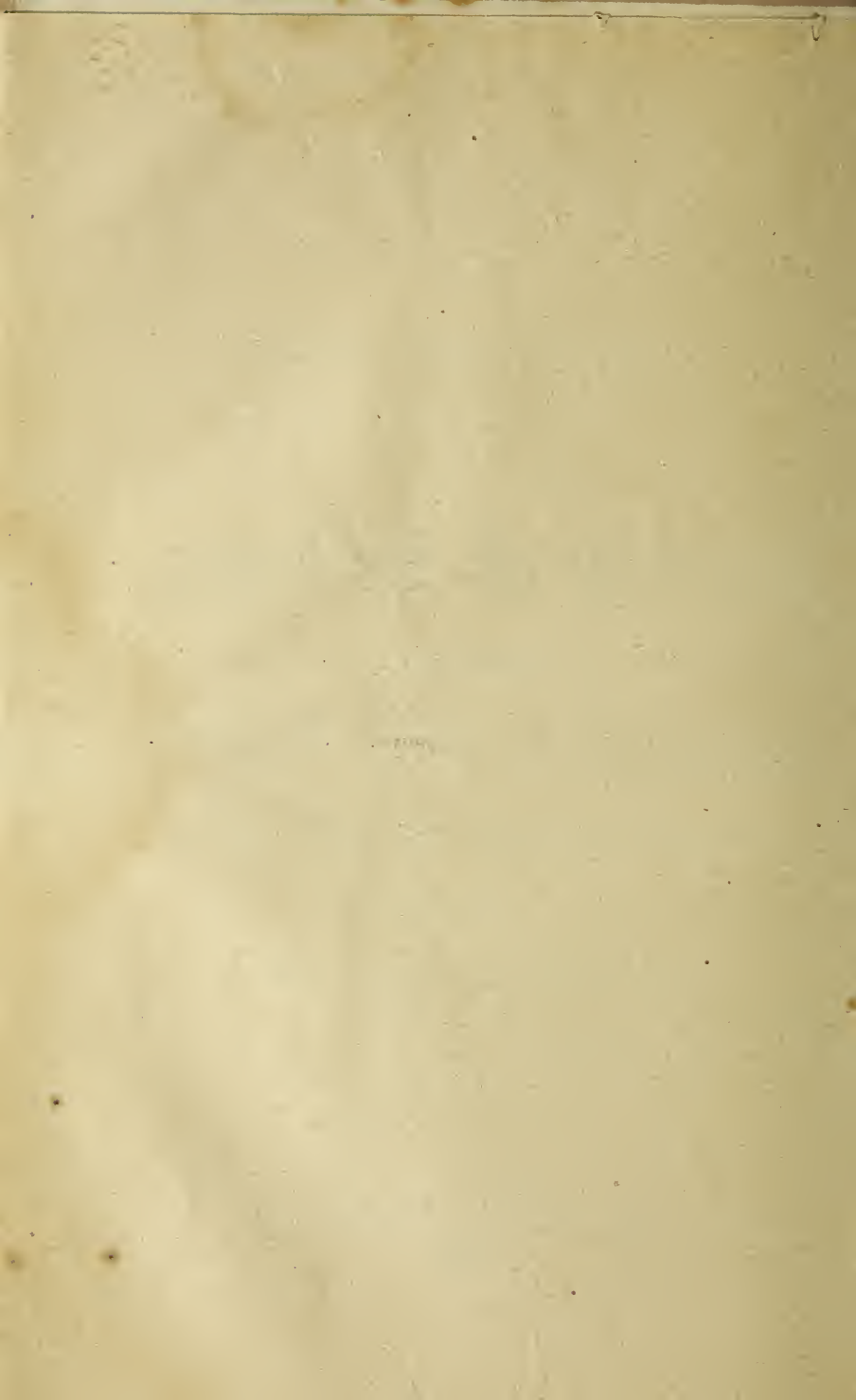
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COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

The Commissioners for the County of Belknap herewith submit their Annual Report for the year ending March 1, 1877.

RECEIPTS.

Cash drawn from the Treasury for the support of external poor,	\$7,462 86
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EXPENDITURES.

Cash paid for the support of external poor, from March term, 1876, to September term, 1876:

Town of Alton, aid to Peter Borneman,	\$32 00
" " " Clara Chamberlin,	60 42
" " " Jonathan Woodman,	8 50
" " " Enoch Flanders,	3 00
" " " Charles A. Nutter,	6 00
" " " Amy I. Pickering,	29 00
" " " Daniel S. Willey,	16 50
" " " Transient paupers,	3 50
Town of Barnstead, aid to John Spokesfield and wife,	18 25
" " " Wm. Aikens' family,	45 29
" " " Transient paupers,	15 50
Town of Belmont, aid to Mrs. Olive Farrar,	18 21
" " " Walter Tatro,	52 00
Town of Gilmanton, aid to Emily A. Breckenridge,	23 03
" " " John McKenzie,	23 58
" " " Charles H. Pierce,	56 67
" " " Joseph Warren and wife,	13 50
" " " Transient paupers,	14 75
Town of Gilford, aid to Robert McMurphy,	16 25
" " " Mark Small,	10 00
" " " Mary A. Davis,	6 50
" " " John P. Thompson,	12 00
" " " Joseph Glidden,	8 00
" " " Charles C. Huckins and wife,	13 00
" " " Mary A. Gilford,	7 50
Town of Laconia, aid to John Lowry,	1 71
" " " Lina Lowry,	52 00
" " " Robert Pope,	52 00
" " " Charles L. Young,	28 93
" " " Phebe Fogg,	67 25

Town of New Hampton, aid to Oliver R. Stewart,	38 79
“ “ “ W. C. Sanborn,	17 66
“ “ “ Reuben R. Wallace,	4 80
“ “ “ Plummer P. Chase,	10 70
Town of Meredith, aid to Rebecca D. Hall,	16 00
“ “ “ transient paupers,	14 00
Town of Sanbornton, aid to transient paupers,	22 00
Town of Tilton, aid to John Wells,	13 42
“ “ “ Betsey Sanborn,	9 00
“ “ “ Solon McKenney,	52 00
“ “ “ Fred Shaw,	52 00
“ “ “ Frank A. Reed,	52 00
“ “ “ transient paupers,	6 42
County of Merrimack, aid to Charles Wiser,	36 57
County of Strafford, aid to Electa A. Weeks,	78 85
Nahum Wight, medical aid to Charles Pierce,	14 75
“ “ Henry Burnham,	9 75
“ “ Charles F. Smith,	14 75
“ “ Mrs. E. Danforth,	3 50
“ “ Nathaniel Robinson,	1 50
“ “ John McKenzie,	8 25
“ “ Mrs. Betsey Pennock,	2 00
“ “ Mrs. Daniel Downs,	27 25
Henry Davis, aid to John D. Bean,	62 50
Smith Chapman, aid to Mrs. A. Clark,	10 50
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	14 00
John Connell & Co., aid to N. B. Young & wife,	35 00
“ “ Edwin S. Gilman,	70 00
Charles A. Dockham, aid to John Merrill & wife,	49 15
F. N. Nute, medical aid to Enoch Flanders,	2 75
“ “ Mrs. Daniel Downs,	52 50
“ “ Isaac Downs,	1 50
Mary A. Miller, robe for Mrs. A. Farnum,	3 00
L. T. Weeks, medical aid to William Lewis,	4 50
D. P. Evans, burial expenses of Jona. Richards,	17 50
Jacob Ellis, aid to A. Farnum's family,	10 00
Charles W. Perkins, medical aid to Jona. Richards,	20 50
“ “ Electa A. Weeks,	5 00
Horace Davis, aid to Ebenezer Bridges,	34 00
Perley C. Place, aid to Leonard Place,	15 00

Lavina Gray, aid to Betsey Clough,	82 50
George Sanborn, medical aid to Mrs. E. Berry,	8 00
J. W. Lang, Jr., aid to transient paupers,	5 30
W. E. S. Foss, medicines for Mrs. G. S. Batchelder,	3 90
P. D. Blaisdell & Co., aid to G. S. Batchelder's family,	19 62
“ “ E. Berry family,	1 68
“ “ Moses W. Stevens,	9 54
J. H. Knowles & Co., aid to E. Berry family,	10 00
“ “ G. S. Batchelder family,	4 93
S. B. Maloon, aid to Hannah Gilman,	75 50
Haven Palmer, medical aid to Moses Stevens,	41 50
“ “ Mrs. G. H. Batchelder,	58 75
“ “ Rebecca D. Hall,	39 54
“ “ Mrs. Pickering,	9 25
G. W. Hicks, aid to transient poor,	3 45
Elkins Bros., “ “	34 50
Mrs. H. Elliot, aid to Richard Lamprey and wife,	58 00
J. W. Sanborn, “ “	10 00
S. S. Wiggin, aid to Ed. Willey,	6 41
“ “ David Colby,	42 00
“ “ transient paupers,	107 75
I. H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	93 00
M. H. Merrow, aid to Susan Hoyt and son,	41 06
“ “ Lydia Mitchell,	18 46
“ “ Ruth Smith,	27 55
G. H. Dickerman, “ “	12 00
Jones & Sawyer, aid to Julia Stevens,	39 00
“ “ Jona. Richards,	33 50
Elisha Wadleigh, “ “	46 25
N. D. Garmon, aid to Olive Farrar,	2 06
Mooney & Varney, aid to Electa A. Weeks,	8 00
D. C. Clough, aid to Mrs. Silver and family,	23 85
“ “ Wescott child,	12 00
“ “ George E. Varney,	13 91
“ “ Valentine E. Bunker,	37 50
D. F. & J. C. Moore, medical aid to Susan Leavitt,	45 75
“ “ “ J. L. Davis,	20 50
“ “ “ John Fosket,	16 50
“ “ “ Mrs. C. V. Knowles,	19 25
“ “ “ Mrs. Doane,	54 00

D. F. & J. C. Moore, medical aid to	Ed. Willey,	15 00
“ “ “	J. P. Thompson,	17 75
“ “ “	William Lewis,	6 00
“ “ “	Mary A. Davis,	3 00
O. Goss, medical aid to	Coleman Shehan,	3 00
“ “	Giman Follet,	36 00
“ “	Dana Avery,	10 50
“ “	John Dockham,	12 00
“ “	S. D. Davis family,	17 50
“ “	George Hilliard and wife,	35 00
David T. Parker, medical aid to	Peter Borneman,	3 00
George W. Brawn, aid to paupers,		6 00
John P. Leavitt, “	Daniel P. Leavitt,	20 00
John Thompson, aid to	Betsey Thompson,	26 00
Nathan S. Davis, “	Wesley E. Davis,	15 50
G. A. Burleigh, aid to transient paupers,		7 25
J. W. Sanborn, “	William Crockett,	15 00
A. J. Thompson, medical aid to	Mary R. Pingree,	8 50
“ “	Mrs. John Dockham,	2 50
“ “	paupers,	11 75
“	autopsy of Mrs. Blodgett,	5 00
Charles Nutter, aid to	Esther C. Eaton,	34 00
Jacob Rollins, aid to	Electa A. Weeks,	17 00
Jonathan Brown, aid to	Lula J. Gilman,	5 57
F. Hutchinson, aid to	Polly Hutchinson,	70 00
Hannah Ladd, aid to	Mrs. Wm. Prescott,	37 90
N. L. True, medical aid to	Leonard Colburn,	16 50
“ “	Mary R. Pingree,	13 00
E. E. Maxfield, aid to	Belle Gilman,	19 50
J. J. Hoadley, aid to	Isaac Downs,	8 50
“ “	C. F. Smith,	8 00
“ “	Henry Burnham,	5 00
“ “	Charles H. Pierce,	18 56
Alvah Foss, aid to	Lula J. Gilman,	7 00
“ “	transient paupers,	3 00
Joseph Brown, aid to	Isaac Downs,	11 15
“ “	James M. Jones' family,	15 40
“ “	L. Maxfield,	46 82
“ “	Mrs. Daniel Downs,	10 00
“ “	Belle Gilman,	4 42

John C. Avery, funeral expenses of Wm. Prescott,	17 50
Charles G. Kelley, aid to James M. Jones' family,	28 50
P. H. Wheeler, medical aid to Electa A. Weeks,	6 25
“ “ Jonathan Woodman,	3 00
O. L. Sanborn, aid to Olive Farrar,	1 00
C. L. Moody, “ “	1 42
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to Harmon Robinson,	25 00
“ “ Lucinda Wiser,	3 85
“ “ John Gilman,	12 95
“ “ William Lewis,	47 84
“ “ Nancy Doane,	12 25
“ “ John L. Davis,	12 88
“ “ George E. Varney,	29 00
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	19 45
“ “ Dana Avery,	1 58
“ “ C. F. Pickering,	9 77
“ “ David Colby,	4 75
“ “ Moses Pickering,	2 42
“ “ Lewis Laplant,	13 61
“ “ Isaiah Lavoie,	27 61
“ “ William Goodwin,	5 25
“ “ Mary A. Davis,	5 00
“ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	21 29
“ “ John Fosket,	15 60
“ “ Joseph Shaw,	48 17
“ “ Mrs. J. A. Davis,	113 86
“ “ Mary R. Pingree,	40 18
“ “ Leonard & Colburn,	19 17
“ “ Ed. Willey,	26 21
“ “ William Patterson,	26 66
“ “ Henry Moulton,	48 75
“ “ J. T. Webster,	17 25
“ “ Mrs. J. Brake,	19 00
“ “ John Biso,	67 87
“ “ Sophia Cogswell,	5 75
“ “ J. H. Pickering,	34 10
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	26 34
“ “ Hannah Gilman,	2 00
“ “ transient paupers,	61 68
Luther R. Rand, aid to Peter Borneman,	2 50

J. H. Fifield, aid to transient paupers,	4 00
A. Lindsay, medical aid to Mary A. Johnston,	14 00
William P. Moulton, aid to Joseph D. Moulton,	20 05
Mark Walker, medical aid to Betsey Clough,	8 00
“ “ Mark Pitman,	16 48
George L. Mead, aid to Timothy Breen,	63 67
F. L. Mason, medical aid to Edwin Johnston,	7 50
“ “ Julia Sarborn,	11 75
Edwin Varney, aid to C. W. Danforth,	4 00
“ “ Henry Burnham,	10 00
“ “ C. W. Pierce,	7 36
N. L. True, medical aid to James Patterson,	12 00
“ “ Isaiah Lavoie,	14 00
George Sturtevant, aid to John Fosket,	27 25
“ “ Ed. Willey,	18 00
“ “ Mary A. Davis,	12 25
Jeremiah Blake, medical aid to Electa A. Weeks,	3 00
S. H. Dearborn, aid to Charles H. Pierce,	35 70
“ “ C. F. Smith family,	2 00
“ “ Henry Burnham,	23 00
L. J. Durrell, aid to Timothy Breen,	15 76
B. J. Cole, aid to John Fosket,	15 00
Isaac B. Glidden, aid to Joseph Glidden,	8 00
Mrs. Richardson, aid to Mary A. Johnston,	10 00
A. W. Abbott, aid to Mrs. Haniford,	5 00
Sampson H. Babb, aid to Lois Babb,	26 00
R. M. Gray, medical aid to L. Maxfield,	10 84
“ “ Wm. Aikins,	1 50
Hiram T. Pitman, aid to Mark Pitman,	120 50
Mary A. Gilman, aid to Lula J. Gilman,	18 00
T. S. Foster, medical aid to J. A. Davis family,	28 50
A. F. Tasker, aid to Wm. Aikins,	16 39
“ “ John Spokesfield,	13 00

Total amount, \$4,941 72

Cash paid for the support of external poor from September term,
1876, to March term, 1877.

Town of Alton, aid to Ralph Glidden,	\$25 75
“ Belmont, Walter Tatro, *	26 00

Town of Centre Harbor, aid to Ira Blackey,	23 00
“ “ “ David Plaisted,	40 50
“ “ “ transient paupers,	6 00
“ Gilford, aid to John H. Chick,	5 00
“ “ “ Mathew Mooney,	13 15
“ Gilmanton, aid to Frank N. Page,*	78 00
“ “ “ Mrs. E. A. Hutchinson,	5 00
“ Laconia, aid to Goodwin child,	5 50
“ “ “ R. H. Pope,*	26 00
“ “ “ Lina Lowry,*	8 00
“ “ “ Eugene Brown,	20 66
“ “ “ Frank Blair,	13 02
“ “ “ transient paupers,	41 31
“ Meredith, aid to W. N. Swain,*	10 00
“ “ “ Frank P. Cox,	92 83
“ “ “ transient paupers,	15 65
“ New Hampton, aid to Daniel Chase,	12 00
“ Tilton, aid to Fred Shaw,	26 00
“ “ “ Frank A. Reed,*	26 00
“ “ “ Solon McKenney,*	26 00
Elisha Wadleigh, aid to Jonathan Richards,	26 00
Perley C. Place, aid to Leonard Place,	15 00
Gilman Cook, aid to burial expenses for Josiah Weeks,	5 00
John P. Thompson, aid to Betsey Thompson,	22 58
David C. Clough, aid to Mrs. Silver,	23 60
“ “ Valentine E. Bunker,	27 00
“ “ Freeman Elliott,	12 54
“ “ transient paupers,	17 00
E. L. Dow, aid to Elizabeth Varney,	32 50
F. L. Mason, medical aid to Kate Haskell,	18 00
“ “ Julia Sanborn,	5 50
“ “ Edwin Johnston,	5 50
M. H. Merrow, aid to Ruth Smith,	17 61
“ “ Lydia Mitchell,	13 79
“ “ Susan Hoit and Son,	37 46
Insane Asylum for support of C. L. Young,	29 60
Thomas Cogswell, aid to transient paupers,	15 00
L. T. Weeks, medical aid to William Lewis,	8 50
“ “ Richard Lamprey,	6 50
E. S. Mudgett, aid to C. H. Pierce,	16 00

S. S. Wiggin, aid to David Colby,	25 50
“ “ Mary A. Gilford,	21 25
“ “ paupers,	71 25
E. G. Wilson, medical aid to William Lewis,	27 85
“ “ Mrs. Breen,	50 50
“ “ Mary Laundrie,	5 00
“ “ Mary Brake,	2 00
“ “ T. Jock,	2 00
“ “ James Pope,	1 00
“ “ paupers,	1 50
C. A. Dockham, aid to E. L. Breckenridge,	32 83
“ “ David Lougee,	37 51
“ “ John Merrill and family,	73 51
D. F. & J. C. Moore, medical aid to Peter Webster,	7 00
“ “ “ Joseph Shaw,	2 25
“ “ “ B. W. Young,	4 00
“ “ “ Mrs. Thompson,	6 75
“ “ “ Nancy Doane,	15 00
Haven Palmer, medical aid to Rebecca D. Hall,	30 25
“ “ Moses Stevens,	1 00
“ “ Mrs. G. S. Batchelder,	1 50
Horace Davis, medical aid to Ebenezer Bridges,	13 00
Lavina Gray, aid to Betsey Clough,	35 00
I. H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	39 00
F. Hutchinson, aid to Polly Hutchinson,	26 00
Hannah Ladd, aid to Hannah J. Prescott,	2 67
N. L. True, medical aid to Frank Paul,	20 50
“ “ Timothy Breen,	5 00
“ “ E. Varney,	2 00
“ “ John Biso,	6 00
“ “ James Patterson,	6 25
“ “ Arthur Atwood,	21 50
A. F. Tasker, aid to John Spokesfield and wife,	9 00
B. J. Cole, aid to John Fosket,	15 00
G. S. Young, aid to C. L. Young, at the asylum,	29 25
J. W. Sanborn, aid to Richard Lamprey and wife,	34 00
A. C. Leavitt, aid to John Gilman,	3 25
P. H. Wheeler, medical aid to L. B. Glidden's family,	29 25
Mooney & Varney, aid to Leonard Place,	8 75
Nathan S. Davis, aid to Wesley E. Davis,	8 50

S. H. Dearborn, aid to Henry Burnham,	15 00
“ “ “ Charles H. Pierce,	44 41
“ “ “ C. F. Smith,	15 00
“ “ “ C. Danforth,	6 00
“ “ “ Samuel Twombly,	8 94
“ “ “ N. Robinson,	2 00
Charles Nutter, aid to Esther Eaton,	18 00
Alvah Foss, aid to John Spokesfield,	6 00
George L. Mead, aid to T. Jock,	12 02
“ “ E. Adams,	25 16
“ “ William Lewis,	4 07
“ “ Timothy Breen,	35 45
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to J. T. Webster,	10 25
“ “ “ William Goodwin,	2 50
“ “ “ Hannah Gilman,	1 00
“ “ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	24 13
“ “ “ James Patterson,	10 77
“ “ “ Arthur Atwood,	9 25
“ “ “ John Gilman,	1 75
“ “ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	4 16
“ “ “ H. Robinson,	20 00
“ “ “ C. W. Crockett,	80
“ “ “ D. P. Leavitt,	7 68
“ “ “ N. Garrent,	7 00
“ “ “ Joseph Shaw,	72
“ “ “ J. Glidden,	1 50
“ “ “ Lucinda Wiser,	2 86
“ “ “ William Lewis,	47 86
“ “ “ Mrs. J. A. Davis,	92 12
“ “ “ Henry Moulton,	20 62
“ “ “ Edwin Willey,	17 36
“ “ “ Mary A. Davis,	5 62
“ “ “ James Pope,	38 65
“ “ “ J. H. Pickering,	8 00
“ “ “ C. F. Smith,	5 76
“ “ “ Mrs. Brake,	2 75
“ “ “ G. H. Chick,	20 00
“ “ “ J. Bi-o,	12 49
“ “ “ Timothy Breen,	8 50
“ “ “ transient paupers,	15 12

Joseph N. Sanborn, aid to John Gilman,	5 00
P. C. Emerson, aid to Charles Nutter's family,	4 50
Frank L. Nute, medical aid to Theresa Beck,	9 50
Cyrus Jones, aid to Lula Gilman,	9 00
Mrs. J. Clement, aid to Julia A. Stevens,	10 00
Charles W. Hill, aid to Mrs. E. Hutchinson,	7 00
H. E. Marsh, aid to John McKensey,	5 00
J. W. Rollins, aid to Belle Gilman,	32 00
E. J. Burrows, aid to John Spokesfield and wife,	7 50
A. Lindsay, medical aid to C. and H. Smith,	33 00
Frank Hill, aid to Betsey Sanborn,	68 00
W. E. S. Foss, aid to E. Berry's family,	25 00
A. D. Philbrick, aid to Mrs. A. Clark,	6 00
J. H. Harmon, aid to E. Berry's family,	4 38
T. S. Foster, medical aid to J. A. Davis' family,	25 68
W. C. Clifton, aid to Mrs. Wm. Prescott,	14 00

Total amount,

\$2,521 14

BELKNAP COUNTY FARM.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand March 1st, 1876,	\$ 90 54
Cash from County Treasurer,	3700 00
Town of Meredith, board of paupers,	192 00
" Laconia, board of paupers,	128 50
George Randlett, for board,	125 00
W. P. Moulton, pension of J. Moulton,	48 00
Mr. Sleeper, board of Sally Merrill,	104 00
Mr. Burley, board of Mrs. Chapman,	117 00
County of Grafton, board of O. Cheney,	36 00
J. S. Howe, board of Martha D. Howe,	66 00
E. S. Tucker, board in jail,	7 50
Chase Pike, board,	38 00
Mr. Purington, board of Mr. Beede,	3 00
William Clark, board,	5 00
Mr. Pierce, board in jail,	3 00
Mrs. Weeks, board of F. Weeks,	17 00
Sundry persons, for pigs,	138 50
" for labor,	87 25
J. F. H. Watson, 125 lbs. hide,	8 75
G. H. Mitchell & Son, rags and iron,	4 46

T. E. Ladd, one hide,	4 00
Cash for one heifer,	15 00
J. C. Follett, three calves,	19 59
Mr. Folsom, pasturing cow,	1 50
Cash for seed corn,	75
G. F. Mallard, use of horse,	1 50
T. E. Ladd, boot between oxen,	5 00
M. Scott, pasturing heifer,	4 00
John O'shea, pasturing two heifers,	7 00
H. H. Eastman, pasturing cattle,	18 00
Cost from prisoners,	21 04
J. B. Durrell, calf skin,	1 00
For use of bull,	20 00
For peas,	90
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	\$5038 78

EXPENSES PAID.

A. C. Leavitt, for coal,	\$ 3 90
Lake Co., for ten bags meal,	14 00
C. Eastman, for twelve bags meal,	16 80
W. H. Sanborn, for shoeing horse,	1 60
Railroad tickets and freight,	30 05
F. R. Gammon, for dry goods,	14 75
J. H. Tilton & Co., for 76 barrels flour,	543 75
“ “ 403 gallons molasses,	218 93
“ “ 145 lbs. tobacco,	87 82
“ “ 141 lbs. tea,	62 02
“ “ 650 lbs. sugar,	78 55
“ “ paints and oil,	72 00
“ “ 1308 lbs. S. P. Lime,	32 64
“ “ 161 lbs. butter,	47 32
“ “ boots, shoes and clothing,	133 00
“ “ dry goods,	166 45
S. B. Smith, for carpet, &c.,	39 10
G. A. Hatch, medicine,	13 15
A. Frazier, for repairing shoes, &c.,	1 20
J. W. Hoyt, filing saws,	50
Geo. L. Mead, powder, &c.,	14 11
Peddler, for goods,	1 00

Arrest and return of deserters,	30 50
O. M. Smith, for apples and beans,	6 00
For postage stamps and box,	6 00
H. H. Stone, for four days' whitewashing,	12 00
O'Shea Bros., for dry goods,	219 67
C. D. Knowles for Geo. Walker,	4 00
D. T. Ladd, coffin fixtures,	3 00
For funeral expenses of Levi Conner,	2 50
Pitman & Tilton,	14 98
W. S. Woodman, 40 bushels potatoes,	14 00
Rev. Mr. Clement, services as chaplain,	6 00
S. E. Young & Co., repairing clocks,	2 50
Lewis Dimond, repairing steam and water pipes,	22 84
Foster & Son, medicine,	4 13
G. A. Hatch, for opium,	14 05
D. T. Ladd, paper and hanging paper,	8 98
Mrs. P. R. Fox, 9 weeks labor,	27 00
At auction, for crockery and bedding,	11 42
Ranlet Manufacturing Co., for iron,	5 75
J. C. Follett, four barrels pork,	100 00
T. D. Somes, for paper,	3 45
Cole Manufacturing Co., for castings,	5 85
R. G. Chase, ornamental trees,	8 75
G. L. Sleeper, 669 lbs. S. P. lime,	13 38
Mrs. Clement, for hats, &c.,	3 47
Geo. H. Everett, for use of boar,	3 50
Mr. Brewster, for 2½ cords manure,	10 82
John Clay, 30 bushels potatoes,	12 00
S. E. Young & Co., for knives and spoons,	9 87
J. S. Howe, for use of carriage,	2 25
J. B. Durrell, 657 lbs. beef,	29 63
Mrs. Eastman, for cheese,	1 25
M. L. Swain, for grass,	15 00
G. F. Mallard, for medicine,	23 55
John W. Eastman, 42 gallons vinegar,	12 60
G. H. Mitchell & Son, for tin ware,	52 05
J. F. H. Watson, sixty lbs. ham,	3 60
R. Gove, for scissors, knives, &c.,	5 75
J. C. Follett, 900 lbs. beef,	36 51
J. F. H. Watson, 800 lbs. beef,	34 58

John C. Clay, for one field of grass,	28 00
E. J. Dinsmore, one harness and repairing,	31 00
Funeral expenses of Pitman,	3 00
B. H. Smith, repairing axes, etc.,	5 00
M. P. Moulton, threshing grain,	10 75
J. O. Stevens, 5½ cords manure,	27 50
H. S. Ladd, 3 pumps,	24 00
D. Smith, 6 gallons vinegar,	1 50
W. Lawrence, repairing jail locks,	2 00
Ira Woodman, for hog,	15 00
Warren Johnson, 12 axe handles,	2 00
W. H. Sanborn, 2½ cords manure,	11 90
J. W. Busiel & Co., 9 dozen hose,	14 50
Benj. Smith, 300 lbs. beef,	15 00
Dr. E. G. Wilson, medical aid,	50 50
N. Johnson, for school books,	11 30
Rev. Mr. Collins, services at funeral,	5 00
John Walker, 20 lbs. cheese,	2 75
Jacob Sanborn, making cider,	2 50
David Batchelder, ¾ cord manure,	3 00
T. L. Grant, ¾ cord manure,	3 75
Rev. Mr. Dalton, services as chaplain,	2 00
J. D. Clark, 377 lbs. beef,	16 00
John Clay, 20 bushels wheat,	30 00
Mr. Farrar, for Mrs. Wiggin,	4 00
O. M. Smith, hose and mittens,	2 25
Mrs. Smith, for apples,	1 00
A. C. Dow, ¾ cord manure,	3 75
John O'Shea, 3¾ cords manure,	18 75
A. J. Hart, 1¾ cord manure,	7 00
E. S. Cram, for hay cutter,	3 00
C. M. Elkins, 2 barrels crackers,	6 50
John H. Tilton, 2½ cords manure,	12 50
Geo. Woodman, 8 months labor,	100 00
Stage fare for Mr. Gilman,	1 75
J. P. Atkinson, for manure,	4 30
J. R. Champlin, for oysters,	3 00
L. R. Weeks, for goods,	77 94
C. Eastman, for meal,	50 16
Dr. Foster, for truss,	2 50

Ten barrels apples,	10 00
S. W. Sanders, tin-ware, etc.,	1 40
B. E. Thurston, 180 lbs. beef,	7 20
M. M. Cole, 1½ cords manure,	6 25
D. J. Dinsmoor, whip,	2 00
Dr. Foster, medicine,	2 50
W. L. Thompson, boots and leather,	4 50
J. S. Howe, 8½ cords manure,	52 50
Richardson & Merrill, coffin fixtures,	1 67
A. Thompson, blacksmith work,	32 32
J. C. Follett, 500 lbs. pork,	45 00
J. C. Follett, 400 lbs. beef,	26 25
John Chapman, coat and vest,	3 00
Frank N. Boynton, 652 lbs. beef,	37 49
Dr. Nelson, medical aid,	14 75
T. E. Ladd, 6¾ cords manure,	33 87
T. E. Ladd, 1106 lbs. beef,	54 25
J. Gilbert, coffin handles,	2 00
J. F. H. Watson, 857 lbs. beef and pork,	44 48
O. Beaman, hats and shoes,	9 50
W. H. Eastman, 41½ lbs. butter,	12 45
O. M. Smith, apples and beans,	7 50
S. M. Woodman, potatoes and pork,	11 70
Mrs. Durrell, for fish,	1 00
J. B. Bachelder, 33 lbs. butter,	9 52
John S. Wallis, 60 lbs. butter,	18 00
B. E. Thurston, 2 barrels flour,	17 00
J. C. Follett, 200 lbs. beef,	9 00
Rev. Mr. Allen, services as chaplain,	2 00
J. F. H. Watson, 581 lbs. beef,	23 24
D. C. Clough, 428 lbs. beef,	29 96
G. F. Mallard, opium,	18 25
C. Eastman, corn and meal,	25 50
J. C. Follett, 500 lbs beef,	25 50
J. B. Durrell, 288 lbs. beef,	14 40
D. T. Ladd, coffin fixtures,	2 00
Lewis Perley, 16 bags meal,	20 00
T. E. Ladd, 771 lbs. beef,	38 55
Ella Woodman, 43½ weeks' labor,	130 50
G. Cook & Co., sawing lumber,	7 34

L. R. Weeks, dry goods,	7 15
Dr. N. L. True, medical aid,	2 00
O'Shea Brothers, clothing,	15 25
J. H. Tilton & Co., dry goods and groceries,	215 32
Sundry bills,	21 04
W. S. Woodman and wife, overseers,	900 00
Cash on hand,	51 51
Total Expenses,	<hr/> \$5,038 78

SUMMARY OF FARM ACCOUNTS.

To inventory of personal property, March 1st, 1876,	\$5,638 75
Paid for provisions, clothing, stock, medical aid, furnishing jail, house of correction and almshouse, funeral expenses, extra labor on farm and buildings, etc.,	4,138 78
W. S. Woodman and wife as overseers,	900 00
Interest on farm and buildings,	1,000 00
Cash on hand March 1st, 1876,	90 54
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By inventory of personal property, March 1st, 1877,	\$5,621 10
Received for stock, labor and board of sundry persons at farm,	1,338 78
Thirty-five cords of manure bought and on hand,	175 00
Board of prisoners in jail,	450 00
Improvements on farm and buildings,	350 00
Cash on hand,	51 51
	<hr/> \$7,986 39

Whole amount for support of paupers,	3,781 68
Average number supported at farm, 66.	
Cost of each per year, \$57.45.	
Cost of each per week, \$1.10½.	

RECAPITULATION.

Cash paid for external poor from March term, 1876, to September term, 1876,	\$4,941 72
Cash paid for external poor from September term, 1876, to March term, 1877,	2,521 14
Cash paid for support of paupers on farm,	3,781 68
Total,	<hr/> \$11,244 54

Total amount for support of external poor,	7,462 86
Total amount for support of paupers on county farm,	3,781 68
Total,	<u>\$11,244 54</u>

Names and ages of Paupers at the County Farm, from
March 1, 1876, to March 1, 1877, inclusive:

MALES.		FEMALES.	
Bowen, George,	64	Chase, A. M. M.,	9
Boynton, James,	41	Dalton, Charlotte,	47
Cate, R. J.,	36	Dockham, Susan,	74
Chase, Daniel J.,	3	Downs, Charlotte,	17
Conner, Jeremiah,	74	Edgerly, Elizabeth,	70
Dolan, Patrick,	71	Elkins, Mercy,	64
Durgin, Thomas,	77	Ellsworth, Betsey,	61
Fairfield, W. L.,	63	Fifield, Emma,	26
Gilman, Ezekiel,	57	Fogg, Esther,	46
Glidden, Joseph,	82	Gilman, Ellen,	24
Graves, David A.,	28	“ Eldora,	21
Hanaford, W. A.,	12	Greenleaf, Ann,	51
“ Charles,	10	Hill, Mary,	45
“ Edgar,	8	Johnson, M. A.,	46
Jones, Erank,	10	Jones, E. A.,	12
“ Ervin,	4	“ Hattie,	8
Leslie, John,	65	“ E.,	6
Lyford, Francis,	91	“ Ada,	3
Merrill, Horace,	66	Ladd, M. A.,	48
Moulton, J. D.,	39	Lamprey, Cordelia,	57
Nute, Eben C.,	48	Leathers, F. B.,	22
Parshley, Joshua,	77	Leavitt, Susan,	65
Pike, Chase,	82	Lovett, Lydia,	76
Quimby, James,	74	Luxman, Anna,	33
“ John,	72	Marsh, Margaret,	56
Sanborn, Nathaniel,	81	Merrill, Emma,	15
Sargent, James,	13	Nutter, Rebecca,	30
Small, Mark,	38	Pervear, Sally,	76
Smith, N. D.,	49	Richards, Lydia,	75
Thompson, Jacob,	77	Sanborn, Sally,	87
Walker, George,	11	Shaw, L. M.,	3
Young, Charles,	39	Silver, Hannah,	58

FEMALES.					
Aiken, S. J.,	23		Smith, Hannah,		81
" B. L.,	8		Staples, Mary E.,		50
" C. E.,	5		Twombly, Eleanor,		48
" L. G.,	2		Vaughan, Sarah,		96
" R. J.,	3 months		Whittier, Mahala,		68
Boynton, Mary,	2		Wiggin, D. A.,		25
Brocklebank,	2 months		" C. B.,	7 months	
			" Mabel,		3

Names and ages of persons who have died at the County Farm during the past year:

MALES.		FEMALES.	
Aiken, W. B.,	45	Cotton, Sally,	66
Conner, Levi,	88	Farrar, Olive,	90
Pitman, Mark,	97	Hill, Olive,	67
Smith, Isaac,	74	Howe, Martha,	57
Weeks, Jonathan,	72	Hoyt, Sally,	62
		Weeks, Electa,	48

HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

To the County Commissioners,

Gentlemen:

In making my annual report it is gratifying to be able to say that those who have been committed to my charge in the House of correction, with few exceptions, have conformed to the rules of this department and performed their labor in a very satisfactory manner; yet it must be expected that among such a class of people some will, at times, become careless and indifferent and go contrary to the regulations—but in such cases, however unpleasant to both Sup't and prisoners, they must be punished until they will submit.

The number of persons committed, twenty-three, for the following offences: Drunk, 9; Common Drunkards, 12; Vagabond, 1; Idle and Disorderly, 1.

COUNTY JAIL.

The number of persons committed to jail the past year, 14; for the following offences: Stealing, 6; Selling Rum, 1; Non Payment of Fine, 1; False Oath, 1; False Representation, 1; Non-

Payment of Taxes, 1; Drunk, 1; Refusing to testify where he obtained his liquor, 1; Incendiary, 1.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM S. WOODMAN,

Supt. of House of Correction and Deputy Jailor.

It will be seen by the foregoing report that the expenses for the support of the external poor has been in excess of the previous year, which is owing to the very large increase in the number who have been compelled to call on the County for what we hope will prove to be but temporary assistance by reason of the great depression in business, and the fact that under the late law nearly all who call for assistance come upon the county instead of the towns as they formerly did under the old law.

It will also be observed that a larger number have been maintained at the County Farm at a less expense than the previous year, which is due in part to the lower price of provisions and the increased average number supported during the year, but chiefly to the very careful, prudent and economical management of W. S. Woodman and Wife, who have been in charge of the farm for the past year, and who by long experience and careful attention to their duties and to the interests of the County as well as the comfort of the inmates, merit the approbation of all the citizens of the County who wish their poor well cared for, and at an expense to them which can only be obtained by experience and good judgment. Their services have been secured for another year.

Also herein will be found the Report of the Superintendent of the County Farm, House of Correction and Deputy Jailor, Clerk of Court and County Treasurer.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

SYLVESTER S. WIGGIN,	} Commissioners for Belknap County.
DAVID C. CLOUGH,	
ALVAH FOSS,	

REPORT OF CLERK.

To the County Commissioners of Belknap County:

As required by law, I render you an account of my receipts and disbursements as Clerk of the Circuit Court for said County.

MARCH TERM, 1876.

Received for entry fees,	\$81 00
I have charged said County as follows:	
Paid express on blanks,	25
Paid for stationery,	5 25
Paid for stamps,	9 00
Commission on entry fees,	2 43
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	\$16 93
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	\$65 07

The balance of sixty-five dollars and seven cents has been accounted for on settlement with the Presiding Justice, at the March Term of said Court, 1876.

O. A. J. VAUGHAN, Clerk.

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1876.

Received for entry fees,	\$76 50
Jury fees,	10 00
Fine and costs of J. H. Dow,	62 00
“ M. O'Donnell,	62 03
“ T. Carroll,	62 00
“ H. P. Batchelder,	75 00
“ C. W. Dolloff,	52 37
“ John C. Pickering,	75 00
“ Harry Carroll,	25 00
“ E. G. Varrell,	75 00
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	\$574 90

I have charged said County as follows:

Paid Court seal, and express,	\$10 25
Paid for postage,	4 50
Commission on entry and Jury fees,	2 04
Paid to County Treasurer,	488 40
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	\$505 19
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	\$69 71

The balance of sixty-nine dollars and seventy-one cents has been accounted for on settlement with the Presiding Justice, at the September Term of said Court, 1876.

M. A. HAYNES, Clerk.

REPORT OF COUNTY TREASURER.**RECEIPTS.**

From March 1st, 1876, to March 1st, 1877.

By cash in treasury March 1st, 1876,	\$15,406 10
Balance of county tax for 1875,	401 30
Cash from James M. Jones,	13 00
" Isaac A. Downs,	10 00
" Levi B. Glidden,	13 00
" M. A. Haynes, for fines,	488 40
" Strafford county, for aid to D. S. Willey,	16 50
" George H. Brown, for license,	10 00
County tax paid,	17,717 96
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	\$34,076 26

EXPENDITURES.**PAID FOR SERVICES AND FEES.**

A. L. Rollins, services and expenses as commissioner,	\$185 50
D. C. Clough, " " "	91 00
S. S. Wiggin, " " "	213 00
Alvah Foss, " " "	146 80
D. C. Clough, " " "	116 55
S. S. Wiggin, " " "	187 00
C. C. Rogers, salary as solicitor 6 months,	125 00
" " " to July 13th,	81 94
J. W. Currier, " " "	47 25
B. E. Thurston, salary as sheriff,	137 22
W. S. Woodman, superintendent,	900 00
A. H. Jones, treasurer,	150 00
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	\$2,381 26

For Farm use, W. S. Woodman,

2,800 00

NOTES AND INTEREST.

Nathaniel Edwards,	\$12 00
Ira Davis,	45 00
Joseph S. Robinson,	718 02
Ellen F. Eastman,	905 18
Cyrus Taylor,	168 84
J. B. Robinson,	130 32
John Clay,	141 66
A. R. Price,	200 00

S. H. Clifford,	79 10
Daniel B. Sanborn,	322 68
G. W. J. Taylor,	360 72
Samuel Taylor, executor,	305 99
William C. Berry, "	881 46
J. S. Clark, interest,	78 74
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	\$4,349 71

COURT EXPENSES.

Nathaniel Edwards, services as messenger, etc.,	\$34 00
J. W. Currier, state v. Jeremiah H. Colbath,	18 59
Grand Jury pay-roll, March term, 1876,	91 72
Petit " " " "	103 20
E. E. Cutting, fees state v. Hicks,	3 47
G. W. Place, returning J. H. Colbath to house of correction,	3 00
A. Elliott, fees state v. John Wentworth,	5 00
A. W. Bartlett, counsel fees state v. Chesley and others,	33 00
B. E. Thurston, court expenses March term, 1876,	113 11
A. J. Hart, official fees state v. Hicks,	3 47
Pay-roll, state v. Charles D. Bryant,	25 93
Referee's fees Plummer v. Ranlet Mfg. Co.,	20 00
" Marden v. Sawyer,	12 70
" Boynton v. Nockman,	15 25
" F. M. Fire Ins. Co. v. Chase,	18 60
" " " v. Brown,	13 70
" Ins. Co. v. Farrar,	4 60
" " Goodell,	18 60
" " Lougee,	9 00
" " Pearsons,	3 00
" " Badger,	3 00
" " Hackett,	3 00
" " Bryant,	3 00
" " Tuttle,	3 00
" " Bailey,	3 00
" " Akerman,	3 00
" " Berry,	3 00
" " Akerman,	3 00
" " Gale,	3 00
" " Farrar,	3 00
" " Plummer,	3 00

Referee's fees Ins. Co. v. Clark,	3 00
“ “ Hildreth,	3 00
“ “ Gale,	3 00
“ “ Thompson,	3 00
“ Nockman v. Wentworth,	2 00
“ Tilton v. Call,	8 00
“ Young v. Moulton,	8 00
“ Coffin v. Coffin,	4 00
“ Doe v. Dexter,	10 00
“ Stevens v. Stevens,	16 00
“ Wadleigh & Stone v. Mooney,	3 00
“ Osborn v. Hunkins,	13 00
“ Martin v. Crossman,	20 00
“ Tilton v. Tilton,	10 00
“ Plummer v. Plummer,	12 00
“ Hodgdon v. Kershaw,	25 00
“ Brawn v. Avery,	24 00
“ Somes v. Robinson,	15 00
“ J. Edwards v. F. Bap. Society,	30 00
“ Mead v. Vittum & Conant,	26 00
“ Lamond v. Brown,	15 00
“ Webster v. Bartlett,	11 86
“ Wallis v. Rollins,	4 00
“ Plummer & Tuck v. Smith & Durrell,	12 70
“ Corning & Co. v. Hall,	5 00
“ Plummer v. Sanders and L. V. savings bank,	15 00
“ Corning & Co. v. Farnham,	5 00
“ Lawrence v. Pepper et al.,	34 70
“ Barry v. Appleton,	5 00
“ Rowe v. Watson and trustee,	10 00
“ G. W. & C. Keniston, adm'r, v. D. W. Shaw,	10 00
“ “ “ “ “	10 00
“ Gilmanton v. Sanbornton,	20 00
O. A. J. Vaughan, bill March term, 1876,	71 79
“ justice fees, state v. Hicks,	8 00
O. H. Key, official and justice fees, state v. Ed. Evans,	9 48
“ “ “ “ J. Posinet,	11 48
“ “ “ “ Moses Bedee,	9 48
Charles F. Stone, fees, state v. W. H. Evans,	8 48
M. A. Haynes, bill S. C. of J., June term,	20 00

E. A. Hibbard, adm'r estate of O. A. J. Vaughan,	21 00
C. B. Garmon, fees, state v. Lafayette Tilton,	7 57
A. B. Wyatt, jus. and off'l fees, state v. Burley & Glines,	25 97
“ “ “ “ Ruschell,	22 15
“ “ “ “ Julia A. Weeks,	13 74
“ “ “ “ W. H. Noyes,	12 74
W. P. Lang, fees, state v. J. Willis and C. Rowell,	25 69
C. C. Rogers, justice fees, state v. Willis, Rowell and Tilton,	9 00
O. H. Key, fees, state v. Eunice Batchelder,	9 98
J. G. Jewett, justice and official fees, state v. D. L. Swain,	9 75
“ “ “ “ Wm. Goodwin,	8 52
“ “ “ “ G. E. Whitman,	9 79
“ “ “ “ J. Musgrove,	11 60
“ “ “ “ James Pope,	16 15
“ “ “ “ M. Pickering,	8 00
“ “ “ “ Wiser et als.,	22 52
“ “ “ “ Forknall et als.,	25 47
S. W. Rollins, “ “ “ John Rowen,	15 27
S. C. Clark, “ “ “ Ed. Evans,	9 48
Grand Jury pay-roll, Sept. term, 1876,	130 56
Geo. D. Savage, fees and expense, state v. Chas. French,	12 00
State v. Elbridge G. Varrell,	2 50
“ Boston & Maine railroad,	8 67
“ E. G. Varrell,	3 75
“ Charles D. Bryant,	12 35
“ Morris O'Donnell,	1 37
“ James N. King,	7 88
“ E. G. Varrell,	6 73
“ Thomas Carroll,	1 37
“ Samuel B. Varrell,	1 37
“ J. C. Pickering and others,	135 24
“ Jona. W. Watson, March term, 1876,	1 86
“ Geo. W. Sanders, “ “	49
“ Wm. H. Sanborn, “ “	9 61
“ S. B. Varrell, Sept. term, 1876,	15 07
“ E. J. Peaslee and others,	8 25
“ J. C. Pickering,	16 75
J. G. Jewett, state v. Pickering and 13 others,	58 57
C. F. Stone, state v. Wm. Swain and others,	100 00
A. C. Dow, state v. Pickering et al.,	88 77
H. Bedee, state v. Harry Carroll,	2 45

G. H. Everett, state v. Chas. L. Howard,	1 37
M. A. Haynes, bill, Sept. term, 1876,	250 00
G. H. Everett, services and expenses as sheriff, Sept. T. '76,	303 75
Petit Jury pay-roll, Sept. term, 1876,	802 84
H. Bedee, expense, state v. S. B. Varrell,	2 72
T. J. Whipple, services and expenses in case of county v. D. S. Bedee and S. C. Clark,	137 42
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	\$3,529 01

PAUPER ACCOUNT.

Paid pauper bills as per Commissioners' Report,	\$7462 86
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MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

J. H. Tilton & Co., for wood and material for Court House,	41 37
E. B. Beaman, binding book for Reg. of Deeds,	10 00
F. M. F. Ins. Co., assessment of 1871 (Order Jan., 1872),	10 62
E. B. Beaman, binding books for County use,	38 31
A. H. Jones, book for County Treasurer's use,	3 75
N. Johnson, Jr., stationery for use of County,	16 95
Morrill & Silsby, blanks for use of County,	8 00
O. A. J. Vaughan, printing for County,	212 00
M. A. Haynes, paper for use of County,	3 00
B. M. Sanborn, taxes on County farm,	65 11
J. F. Robinson, shingles for County use,	16 00
N. L. True, wood for Court House,	2 00
M. A. Haynes, envelopes and printing,	8 50
J. H. Tilton & Co., for labor at Court House,	10 25
Nathaniel Edwards, as messenger and for stamps,	19 50
M. A. Haynes, for Record book,	6 50
J. P. Boodey, blanks for Deeds,	15 00
S. S. Wiggin, for gas at Court House,	2 50
B. C. Badger, carpenter work at Court House,	30 00
J. H. Tilton & Co., paint and hardware for Court House,	101 37
Kirk Knowlton, painting Court House,	74 62
Gardner Cook & Co., for lumber, windows and blinds for Court House,	150 45
Lougee Bros., signs for Court House,	6 50
N. Johnson, Jr., book and stationery for Court,	19 26
R. Gove, clock for Court House,	16 00
M. A. Haynes, printing blanks for Probate Court,	7 25
J. H. Tilton & Co., labor and material for Court House,	7 42

O. A. J. Vaughan's estate, printing Treasurer's Report and in paper,	71 16
W. M. Kendall, Jr., printing blanks for County,	7 50
J. F. Merrill, grave stones at County Farm,	21 00
W. S. Woodman, for Jail fees,	23 00
J. S. Howe, teams for County use,	12 00
M. A. Haynes, examining Records,	24 25
L. C. Dimond, labor at Court House,	3 20
Total,	<u>\$1064 34</u>

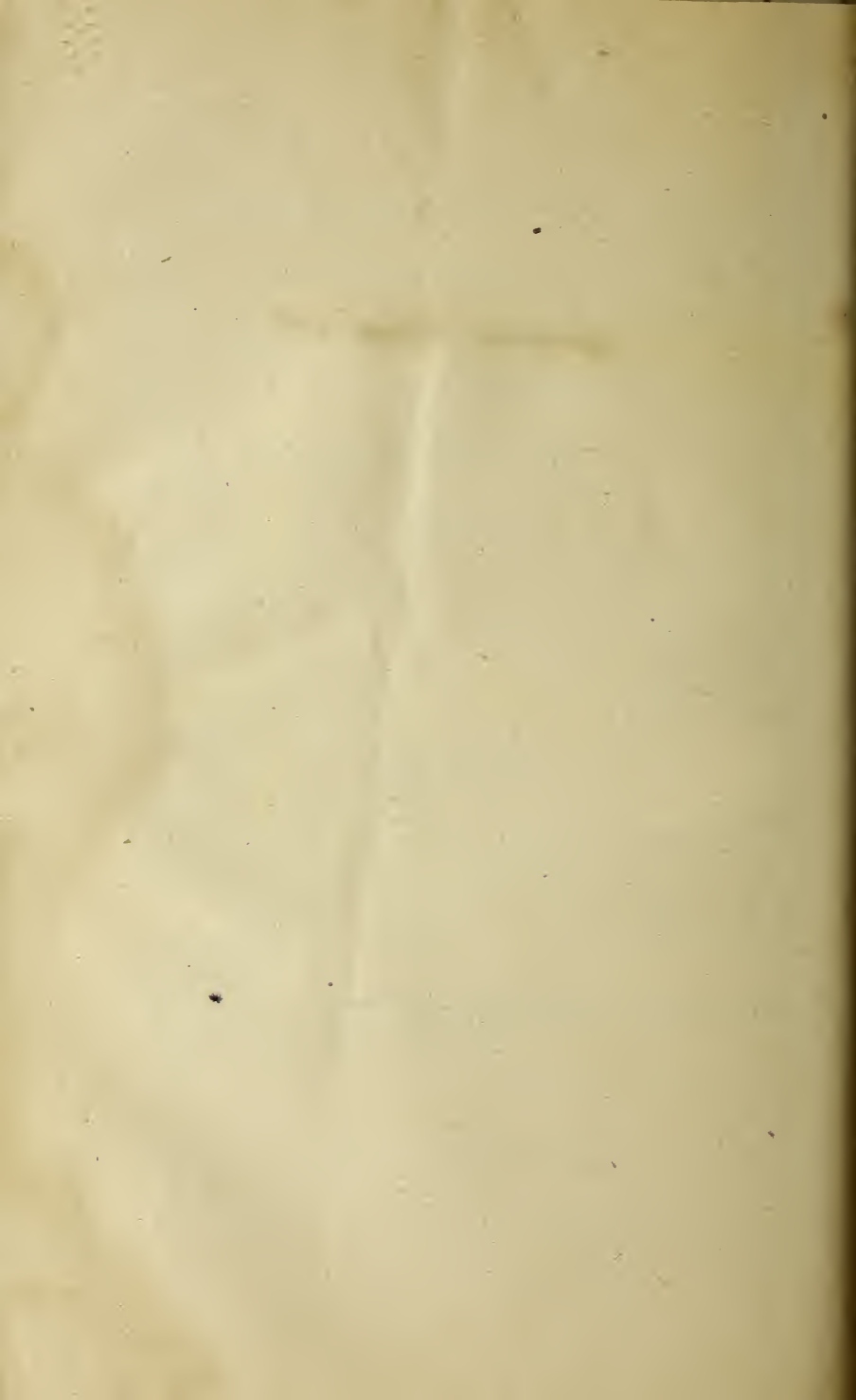
RECAPITULATION.

Receipts,	\$34,076 26
EXPENDITURES.	
Services and Fees.	\$2,381 26
Farm use,	2,800 00
Notes and interest,	4,349 71
Court expenses,	3,529 01
Pauper account,	7,462 86
Miscellaneous,	1,044 34
Cash on hand, Feb. 16, 1877,	12,489 08
	<u>\$34,076 26</u>

COUNTY DEBT.

Principal, - - - - -	\$30,540 09
Interest to March 1st, 1877, - - - - -	6,070 78
Notes outstanding, - - - - -	<u>\$36,610 87</u>
Cash on hand, - - - - -	\$12,489 08
County tax due, - - - - -	5,282 04
	<u>\$17,771 12</u>
Debt, less cash on hand and County tax due,	\$18,839 75

AMOS H. JONES, County Treasurer.





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COMMISSIONERS' REPORT.

The Commissioners for the County of Belknap herewith submit their Annual Report for the year ending March 1, 1878.

RECEIPTS.

Cash drawn from the Treasury for the support of external poor,	\$11,168 86
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EXPENDITURES.

Cash paid for the support of external poor from March term, 1877, to September term, 1877.

Town of Alton, aid to County Paupers,	\$36 50
" " " M. W. Flanders and family,	29 25
" " " A. Davis,	8 87
" " " Es. Philbrick,	32 00
" " " Amos Chesley,	34 00
" " " T. W. Sawyer,	11 00
Town of Barnstead, aid to Obi'h Littlefield,	31 05
" " " Sally Drew,	21 00
" " " E. I. Burroughs,	247 11
Town of Belmont, aid to Walter Tatro, at Reform School,	78 00
" " " Sarah C. Edwards,	4 00
Town of Gilmanton, aid to F. N. Page, at Reform School,	52 00
" " " Franklin March,	6 25
" " " Ann and Nathaniel Shannon,	12 00
" " " Charles Tuttle,	43 02
Town of Gilford, aid to transient paupers,	10 00
" " " Abbie McCarty,	24 00
" " " Nancy Dockham,	6 00
" " " Mark Waranger,	46 00
" " " Joseph Dockham,	5 00
Town of Laconia, aid to R. H. Pope, at Reform School,	78 00
" " " transient paupers,	47 25
" " " John Noel,	55 23
" " " John Leslie,	20 00
" " " H. B. Sherman,	50
" " " Rosa Gay,	13 50
" " " Phillip Foster,	32 00
Town of Meredith, aid to G. S. Batchelder,	40 03
" " " F. P. Cox,	41 01
" " " transient poor,	39 39
" " " " "	36 02
" " " Esther Smith,	8 00
" " " transient poor,	29 60
" " " Berry family,	2 25
" " " W. V. Swain, at Reform School,	26 00
Town of Sanbornton, aid to Charles Hannaford,	10 00
" " " County paupers,	37 00
" " " C. G. Jenness,	9 25
" " " C. W. Wadleigh,	37 50
" " " Joshua Smith,	10 00
" " " Mary Hinds,	22 50

Town of New Hampton, aid to Plummer Chase,	4 80
Town of Tilton, aid to Fred Shaw, at Reform School,	73 43
“ “ “ Frank A. Read, at Reform School,	78 00
“ “ “ Solon McKenney, at Reform School,	78 00
“ “ “ County paupers,	38 00
“ “ “ transient poor,	56 12
“ “ “ Georgiam Hawley,	8 00
“ “ “ M. I. Barney,	5 00
Town of Plymouth, medical aid to R. D. Hall,	25 00
A. F. Tasker, aid to Bridges,	15 00
“ “ Spokesfield,	9 00
Lavinia Grey, aid to Betsey Clough,	85 00
G. L. Mead, aid to County paupers,	124 87
“ “ T. Jock, Jr.,	65 00
“ “ E. Brown,	5 25
“ “ C. F. Pickering,	16 90
“ “ I. H. Pickering,	2 50
“ “ S. Goodwin,	31 32
“ “ Frank Blair,	11 13
“ “ I. Lavoir,	11 92
“ “ Joshua Smith,	4 69
Richardson & Merrill, burial of O. C. Rollins,	6 00
H. E. Emery, aid to M. A. Davis,	26 50
“ “ “ Ed. Willey,	7 50
“ “ “ John Foskett,	2 50
N. L. Davis, aid to Westley E. Davis,	15 00
H. G. Willey, aid to transient poor,	13 00
J. W. Sanborn, aid to R. Lamprey,	10 00
Nahum Wight, medical aid to D. Downs,	2 75
“ “ “ S. Twombly and wife,	24 00
“ “ “ C. F. Smith family,	6 00
“ “ “ H. Burnham,	7 75
“ “ “ C. H. Pierce,	5 00
“ “ “ Mrs. E. Danforth,	15 25
“ “ “ J. M. Clifford,	5 25
“ “ “ John McKenney,	5 00
“ “ “ Isaac Downs,	2 00
“ “ “ George Danforth,	16 00
“ “ “ L. C. Hill,	4 00
“ “ “ N. Robinson,	6 75
“ “ “ W. Willey and wife,	14 75
“ “ “ B. Pennock,	1 00
S. H. Dearborn, aid to C. F. Smith,	13 00
“ “ Mrs. E. Danforth,	5 75
“ “ N. Robinson,	8 10
“ “ C. H. Pierce,	32 51
“ “ H. Burnham,	14 00
“ “ S. Twombly,	55 44
“ “ transient poor,	7 00
N. D. Garmon, transient paupers,	3 00
John P. Thompson, aid to Betsey Thompson,	17 00

D. F. & J. C. Moore, medical aid to B. Thompson,	26 00
“ “ “ Mrs. Gilford,	23 00
“ “ “ John Chick,	36 75
“ “ “ J. L. Davis,	15 25
“ “ “ Lyman Thompson,	16 00
“ “ “ S. Davis,	5 50
“ “ “ C. V. Knowles,	14 75
“ “ “ E. Willey,	36 50
“ “ “ M. A. Davis,	10 75
“ “ “ M. N. Doam,	30 00
“ “ “ C. Follett,	9 50
“ “ “ J. Dockham,	10 00
“ “ “ Mrs. C. McCartney,	2 50
O. Goss, medical aid to G. Follott,	10 00
“ “ Dana Avery,	10 00
“ “ P. Webster,	2 25
“ “ S. A. Davis,	23 25
“ “ John Fosket,	18 00
Jones & Sawyer, aid to Charles Nutter,	15 00
“ “ E. Flanders,	17 71
“ “ J. A. Stevens,	17 00
“ “ J. Richards,	3 50
“ “ A. Davis,	11 90
“ “ J. Woodman,	19 12
H. J. Nute, aid to Jona. Woodman,	18 83
“ “ E. Flanders,	2 50
G. F. Savage, aid to transient poor,	32 25
G. W. Burleigh, aid to transient paupers,	4 50
B. D. Blaisdell, aid to G. S. Batchelder,	17 32
E. G. Wilson, medical aid to W. Lewis,	23 40
“ “ Mary Laundry,	2 00
“ “ Paupers,	8 00
“ “ Munroe Dickey,	45 00
“ “ J. Pope,	75
“ “ J. A. Davis,	1 00
“ “ H. Moulton,	18 00
J. P. Leavitt, aid to D. P. Leavitt,	30 00
S. S. Wiggin, aid to D. Colby,	25 50
“ “ M. Gilford,	21 50
“ “ county paupers,	51 00
“ “ A. Goram,	27 00
“ “ J. Patterson,	30 00
“ “ Lewis Aro,	20 00
H. Davis, aid to John D. Bean,	42 50
Mrs. T. Burroughs, aid to J. Spokesfield,	43 00
E. J. Burroughs, aid to J. Spokesfield,	32 50
John C. Page, medical aid to Ira Blackey,	39 25
C. A. Dockham, aid to John Merrill,	79 85
“ “ D. Lougee,	49 57
“ “ L. Place,	83
Jos. Brown, aid to L. Maxfield,	89 84

Jos. Brown, aid to Belle Gilman,	2 90
E. Edgerly, aid to Esther Eaton,	13 00
John L. Connell, aid to N. B. Young,	53 00
“ “ E. Gilman,	106 00
“ “ Mrs. C. Tuttle.	2 03
S. H. Babb, aid to L. Babb,	47 00
Luther Place, aid to Leonard Place,	15 00
Jos. Prescott, aid to L. Place,	12 00
N. L. True, medical aid to S. Cogswell,	14 50
“ “ R. Lamprey,	1 00
“ “ Haskell family,	23 00
“ “ J. Patterson,	38 50
“ “ F. Dawson,	3 00
“ “ M. Dickey,	12 00
“ “ Mrs. Clifford,	7 00
“ “ Isaiah Lavoice,	4 00
“ “ Peter Laundry,	5 00
“ “ J. Smith,	6 50
“ “ M. Laundry,	8 00
“ “ M. R. Pingree,	15 00
“ “ Mary Brake,	4 75
T. Edgerly, aid to E. Eaton,	2 00
Mrs. J. Clement, aid to J. A. Stevens,	48 75
F. L. Nute, medical aid to T. Beeke,	1 75
D. C. Clough, aid to C. Hannaford,	30 40
“ “ V. E. Bunker,	18 50
“ “ F. Elliott,	3 00
“ “ transient paupers,	102 16
“ “ Mrs. Tilton,	22 16
“ “ C. J. Jenness,	14 57
A. W. Abbott, medical aid to Mrs. Silver,	3 00
“ “ E. Johnson,	3 75
“ “ C. W. Wadleigh,	32 00
“ “ E. Gilman,	3 00
A. A. Moulton, medical aid to Mrs. D. Sanbor,	4 50
T. S. Foster, medical aid to J. A. Davis,	53 76
“ “ M. Dickey,	25 40
“ “ Mary Davis,	19 68
J. H. Pennock, aid to Betsey Pennock,	128 15
B. J. Cole, aid to John Fosket,	45 00
J. P. Osborne, medical aid to transient paupers,	6 00
J. S. Wescott, aid to E. Wescott child,	18 00
R. M. Grey, medical aid to D. Young,	14 65
“ “ F. March,	1 00
“ “ D. Flanders,	6 00
“ “ Mrs. Beck,	2 50
D. F. & J. C. Moore, aid to Ed. Willey (house rent),	12 00
J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to J. L. Davis,	16 80
“ “ D. A. Haskell,	45 82
“ “ E. Willey,	32 81
“ “ G. H. Chick,	38 05

J. H. Tilton & Co., aid to M. Pickering,	3 00
" " J. Bisio,	40 93
" " M. A. Davis,	47 94
" " D. Merrill,	3 50
" " J. M. Smith,	40 10
" " L. Laplant,	28 04
" " W. Lewis,	55 86
" " J. Patterson,	32 40
" " Mrs. A. Clark,	38 04
" " Mrs. Brake,	12 25
" " J. T. Webster,	30 29
" " C. W. Crockett,	43 80
" " L. Wiser,	5 47
" " H. Moulton,	36 31
" " J. Shaw,	18 75
" " J. Gilman,	34 83
" " S. Cogswell,	17 58
" " J. Hurlburt,	10 47
" " J. Pope,	25 86
" " E. Brown,	14 33
" " C. Paul,	4 00
" " C. F. Smith,	8 50
" " H. Robinson,	30 00
" " A. Goram,	41 36
" " A. Atwood,	7 72
" " transient poor,	79 87
" " Mrs. J. A. Davis,	153 57
" " Bushno family,	59 18
" " T. Jock, Jr.,	72 86
" " M. Smith,	162 91
" " F. Blair,	16 35
" " M. Mooney,	44 95
" " Ed. Johnson,	3 00
" " J. H. Pickering,	13 19
" " C. F. Pickering,	12 78
" " L. Aro,	12 53
" " G. D. Hilliard,	5 75
" " P. Laundry,	21 76
" " W. Gooden,	4 66
" " R. D. Hall,	2 73
" " J. Downs,	3 35
" " J. Twombly,	10 18
" " G. S. Batchelder,	4 25
" " Mrs. Clifford,	2 53
" " T. Breen,	7 00
" " J. Shabbott,	46 41
" " C. C. Crockett,	4 10
" " C. H. Moody,	64 45
" " J. Jock,	70
" " L. Phelam,	117 64
Fred Hutchins, aid to Polly Hutchins,	70 00

G. W. Ross, coffin for Esther Eaton,	10 00
G. W. Huse, aid to Bridges,	30 00
" " J. Spokesfield,	2 50
O. H. Carr, aid to H. Robinson,	6 00
John Dale, aid to L. J. Gilman,	30 00
" " Belle Gilman,	25 00
O. F. Dow, house rent for Ruth Smith,	12 00
George Sturtevant, aid to J. H. Chick,	3 00
J. S. French, medical aid to Nat Robinson,	6 25
P. H. Wheeler, medical aid to S. Ricker,	59 25
" " J. Woodman,	42 75
" " C. A. Nutter,	3 00
G. D. Savage, aid to L. B. Glidden,	10 00
" " transient paupers,	10 50
D. B. Nelson, medical aid to R. Lamprey and wife,	9 75
Alvah Foss, aid to J. Downs,	25 00
" " transient paupers,	19 00
" " Danforths,	4 70
" " J. Merrill,	5 00
H. A. Davis, burial expenses for Mrs. Breen,	4 25
" " Mrs. Lamprey,	4 25
A. J. Wentworth, aid to Littlefield and wife,	60 00
O'Shea Bros., aid to paupers,	6 96
E. D. Shaw, aid to Seth Shaw,	23 00
W. C. Clifton, aid to H. Prescott,	22 00
H. A. Davis, aid to J. Patterson,	4 00
G. A. Yeaton, medical aid to Eugene Brown,	12 00
" " J. Patterson,	1 00
" " L. Aro,	9 85
" " L. Wiser,	21 87
" " J. Facto,	6 00
" " Mrs. Brake,	14 35
" " J. Biso,	2 00
" " B. Young,	4 47
" " J. Pickering,	16 50
" " P. Foster,	15 75
" " S. McKenney,	32 37
" " M. Clifford,	13 24
" " Mrs. Danforth,	11 16
" " Ed. Johnson,	6 62
Haven Palmer, medical aid to G. S. Batchelder,	31 25
" " Moses Stevens,	4 25
" " W. Bryant,	11 00
" " L. Wiser,	11 25
" " Mrs. Smith,	3 00
" " E. Berry,	1 50
S. F. Noble, aid to John Boynton,	30 00
E. S. Mudgett, aid to C. H. Pierce,	14 00
G. N. Sanborn, aid to John Gilman,	9 00
J. M. Paine, aid to transient paupers,	6 00
M. Bennett, aid to Jona. Woodman,	9 62

Alton Savings Bank, aid to J. Woodman,	12 00
A. Tucker, aid to J. H. Chick,	5 74
A. C. Whipple, medical aid to P. Chase,	9 00
B. Munsey, medical aid to B. Thompson,	13 00
S. H. Flanders, aid to C. F. Smith,	7 00
Cyrus Lamprey, aid to R. Lamprey,	8 00
G. Sanborn, medical aid to E. Berry,	9 75
“ “ “ H. Gilman,	5 25
S. B. Maloon aid to Hannah Gilman,	78 00
J. Gilbert, coffin for Mrs. D. Smith,	8 00
“ “ Mrs. Lamprey,	8 00
“ “ Mrs. Hagen,	8 00
“ “ Mrs. Patterson,	8 00
“ “ B. Thompson,	8 00
A. Wadley, coffin and box for C. W. Wadley,	8 00
Mrs. Colby, aid to David Colby,	36 01
G. H. Brown, aid to C. H. Pierce,	47 55
“ “ S. Twombly,	26 20
“ “ H. Burnham,	23 50
“ “ M. Colcord,	2 00
“ “ C. F. Smith,	7 00
“ “ J. M. Clifford,	5 75
G. A. Hatch, medicines for paupers,	8 25
“ “ B. Young,	75
Mrs. Gilford, aid to Mary Gilford,	30 75
A. Lindsay, medical aid to C. and H. Smith,	22 00
“ “ A. Green,	6 00
T. D. Green, aid to J. R. Drew,	19 00
W. Howe, aid to paupers,	15 00
G. E. Shannon, aid to Charles Tuttle,	24 00
E. E. Smith, aid to Charles Tuttle,	5 00
J. P. Hussey, aid to C. Tuttle,	5 00
D. Chesley, aid to Esther Eaton,	2 00
A. Lindsay, aid to C. and H. Smith,	4 00
R. B. Foss, medical aid to Mrs. J. Woodman,	5 00
Wiggin & Keasor, aid to H. Robinson,	25 00
“ “ J. M. Smith,	13 29
“ “ A. Atwood,	18 28
“ “ G. D. Hilliard,	8 17
“ “ E. Brown,	1 50
“ “ Thomas Jock,	6 00
“ “ Mrs. D. A. Haskell,	20 38
“ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	2 11
“ “ Mrs. J. A. Davis,	63 15
“ “ W. Lewis,	29 14
“ “ H. Moulton,	25 36
“ “ J. Gilman,	10 43
“ “ P. Laundry,	4 55
“ “ M. A. Davis,	6 50
“ “ L. Wiser,	2 50
“ “ C. Hannaford,	48

A. L. Rollins, aid to Mrs. J. Woodman,	7 00
G. Cook & Co., for wood for Mrs. Davis,	4 00
F. L. Mason, medical aid to J. Sanborn,	19 75
J. H. Knowles & Co., aid to E. Berry,	75 28
“ “ “ L. Wiser,	19 00
Nancy Hodgdon, aid to H. Prescott,	9 00
C. P. Emerson, aid to S. Place,	8 12
E. L. Dow, aid to E. Varney,	26 00
New Hampshire Asylum, aid to Mary Buzzell,	118 72

\$8,252 56

Cash paid for the support of external poor from September term,
1877, to March term, 1878.

Town of Alton, aid to transient paupers,	35 50
“ “ “ L. D. Collins,	17 30
Town of Barnstead, aid to S. Chamberlain,	7 50
Town of Centre Harbor, aid to Carrie E. Blackey,	56 00
“ “ “ transient paupers,	17 50
Town of Gilford, aid to Lemuel Chase,	58 00
“ “ “ Ida E. Shute,	10 00
“ “ “ M. Philbrook,	3 00
Town of Gilmanton, aid to J. Wentworth,	17 00
W. E. S. Foss, aid to Mrs. E. Berry,	25 00
F. Hutchinson, aid to P. Hutchinson,	52 00
Town of Laconia, for R. H. Pope, at Reform School,	26 00
“ “ aid to J. M. Evans,	74 65
“ “ A. McGonging,	7 00
“ “ C. Sheen,	19 23
“ “ C. H. Moody,	10 00
“ “ J. Noel,	17 74
Town of Meredith, aid to G. W. Corey,	27 85
“ “ “ transient paupers,	10 65
Town of Tilton, aid to Frank Reed, at Reform School,	13 07
“ “ “ Solon McKenney, at Reform School,	7 50
“ “ “ transient paupers,	29 70
Nancy Hodgdon, aid to Hannah Prescott,	4 00
A. F. Tasker, aid to Burroughs' family,	72 12
N. S. Davis, aid to W. E. Davis,	6 50
“ “ E. V. Davis,	3 00
A. Lindsay, aid to C. and H. Smith,	18 00
W. H. Shackford, aid to Burroughs' family,	7 77
A. F. “ “	30 86
W. H. Avery, “ “	30 68
E. G. Wilson, medical aid to W. Lewis,	14 30
“ “ T. Jock,	3 00
“ “ J. A. Davis,	6 50
“ “ C. Moody,	25 50
“ “ L. Chase,	14 50
“ “ D. Haskell,	4 50
John Dale, aid to Let. Belle,	26 00

H. B. Philbrick, aid to H. Ladd,	16 00
A. A. Moulton, medical aid to M. Varney,	39 00
Ed. D. Shaw, aid to Seth D. Shaw,	8 00
E. B. Buxton, medical aid to Burroughs' family,	28 15
D. F. & J. C. Moore, medical aid to M. Davis,	15 00
“ “ “ J. Dockham,	2 00
“ “ “ C. V. Knowles,	12 00
“ “ “ M. A. Davis,	3 00
“ “ “ Mrs. Gilford,	37 00
“ “ “ J. L. Davis,	2 75
“ “ “ L. Chase.	26 00
“ “ “ Ed. Willey,	7 50
Mrs. Gilford, aid to Mary Gilford,	19 50
A. J. Wentworth, aid to Littlefield family,	38 00
G. H. Brown, aid to C. H. Pierce,	30 00
“ “ S. Twombly,	17 00
“ “ H. Burnham,	17 00
“ “ Mrs. Dantworth,	9 70
D. C. Clough, aid to transient paupers,	7 00
“ “ R. Wallace,	10 00
“ “ Chase girl,	15 00
“ “ C. F. Smith,	4 50
“ “ David Colby,	8 00
S. B. Maloon, aid to H. Gilman,	13 50
J. Lamprey, aid to S. C. Edwards,	17 00
A. Simpson, aid to Georgie Hawley,	59 65
N. Wight, medical aid to L. C. Hill,	26 50
“ “ Mrs. Downs,	5 00
“ “ H. Burnham,	7 50
“ “ N. Robinson,	1 75
“ “ G. Danforth,	12 00
“ “ C. H. Pierce,	50
“ “ John Dale,	7 50
“ “ J. McKensey,	8 50
J. Gilbert, coffins for paupers,	38 50
M. H. Merrow, aid to Mrs. Michell,	31 55
“ “ R. Smith,	48 40
“ “ W. Sanborn,	29 43
“ “ Mrs. Hoit and son,	83 51
Ed. Varney, aid to G. Danforth,	3 00
“ “ N. Willey,	2 00
R. M. Grey, medical aid to Mrs. J. Warren,	1 50
W. S. Woodman, aid to Wescott child,	7 50
C. S. Prescott, aid to E. Berry,	14 00
C. Osgood, aid to R. Calef,	15 00
A. W. Abbott, aid to transient paupers,	3 00
H. A. Davis, medical aid to Georgie Hawley,	3 00
E. D. French, aid to G. Danforth,	5 00
G. W. Huse, aid to E. Burroughs,	21 92
“ “ E. Bridges,	9 00
“ “ M. J. Aiken,	6 00

Ira H. Berry, aid to transient paupers,	20 58
C. A. Dockham, aid to N. Shannon,	33 63
“ “ J. Merrill family,	55 09
“ “ D. Lougee,	40 03
“ “ L. Place,	83
“ “ Esther Eaton,	1 71
“ “ C. Tuttle,	2 87
G. E. Tasker, aid to E. Burroughs,	19 95
Lavinia Grey, aid to B. Clough,	25 50
T. D. Green, aid to Mrs. J. R. Drew,	18 00
Mrs. J. Clement, aid to J. L. Stevens,	16 25
A. Foss, aid to transient paupers,	36 25
Wiggin & Keasor, aid to J. Gilman,	20 28
“ “ A. Atwood,	8 42
“ “ Ed. Johnson,	4 50
“ “ C. A. Pickering,	4 00
“ “ Hannaford boy,	8 38
“ “ J. M. Smith,	88
“ “ L. Wiser,	62
“ “ transient paupers,	37 07
“ “ J. A. Davis,	57 18
“ “ H. Moulton,	25 35
“ “ W. Lewis,	24 98
“ “ D. A. Haskel,	17 46
“ “ Mrs. A. Clark,	8 30
“ “ C. F. Smith,	7 65
“ “ H. Robinson,	10 00
“ “ M. A. Davis,	17 60
“ “ J. T. Webster,	11 97
“ “ T. Hilliard,	10 90
“ “ J. L. Davis,	17 60
“ “ D. B. Leavitt,	1 50
S. S. Wiggin, aid to D. Colby,	10 00
H. Palmer, medical aid to G. S. Batchelder,	8 25
“ “ Moses Stevens,	4 25
S. A. Taylor, medical aid to J. Warren,	10 50
“ “ Mrs. D. Downs,	1 00
T. S. Foster, medical aid to Mrs. J. A. Davis,	15 51
G. L. Mead, aid to S. Wheelan,	33 18
E. S. Burroughs, aid to Spokesfield and wife,	32 50
G. W. Glidden, aid to T. W. Sawyer,	12 00
C. G. Smith, aid to G. Danforth,	4 00
Mrs. Colby, aid to D. Colby,	8 00
C. M. Elkins, aid to Colman Shean,	4 00
D. B. Nelson, medical aid to transient poor,	12 30
M. Bennett, aid to J. Woodman,	2 17
Jones & Sawyer, aid to E. Franders,	5 15
“ “ R. Glidden,	3 50
R. H. Wheeler, medical aid to C. A. Nutter,	5 00
“ “ J. Woodman,	8 00
Alton Savings Bank, aid to J. Woodman,	10 50

G. F. Savage, aid to transient paupers,	13 75
O. Goss, medical aid to S. D. Davis family,	8 50
“ “ J. Hilliard,	20 00
“ “ J. Dockham,	4 50
“ “ John Foskett,	11 00
“ “ Mrs. J. Follett,	7 80
“ “ T. Hilliard,	8 50
“ “ C. Shean,	1 00
“ “ Peter Webster,	2 00
“ “ David Colby,	5 00
“ “ M. A. Davis,	2 00
“ “ Dana Avery,	14 50
“ “ Abbie McCartney,	1 50
A. Lindasy, medical aid to C. & H. Smith,	31 00
Rufus L. Veasey, aid to H. Prescott,	16 00
H. Willey, aid to transient poor,	6 00
G. L. Hail, “ “	2 00
Mrs. Andrew Davis, aid to A. Davis,	25 00
Weston Bros., aid to W. Crockett,	33 19
“ “ C. F. Smith,	10 00
Anna Webster, aid Burroughs' family,	9 34
S. H. Babb, aid to Lois Babb,	26 00
John P. Leavitt, aid to D. B. Leavitt,	20 00
G. A. Stevens, medical aid to M. Barney,	1 75
David Brown, medical aid to Hannaford boy,	3 90
N. H. Asylum, medical aid to W. O. Small,	148 35
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	\$2,916 30

BELKNAP COUNTY FARM.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand March 1, 1877,	\$51 51
Cash from County Treasurer,	4,066 05
Town of Meredith, board of paupers,	100 00
“ Laconia, “	120 00
“ Sanbornton, “	9 00
“ Tilton, “	34 00
“ Gilmanton, “	19 00
W. P. Moulton, pension of J. D. Moulton,	55 00
Mr. Sleeper, board of Sally Merrill,	104 00
Mr. Burley, board of Mrs. Chapman,	104 00
Costs and fines from prisoners,	295 25
Sundry persons, pasturing cattle,	14 75
“ for pigs,	76 25
“ board Fair week,	14 00
“ for use of bull,	12 00
Cash for one heifer and steer,	30 00
Chase Pike, for board,	37 00
J. B. Merrill, truss for G. Weeks,	2 50

Cash for two bushels of wheat,	4 00
Sundry persons, for labor,	205 25
T. E. Ladd, for three calves,	20 09
" " oxen,	120 00
" " hides,	12 22
Mr. Durrell, for oxen,	135 00
Cash for powder,	1 31

\$5,642 18

EXPENSES PAID.

S. W. Sanders, for earthen pipe,	4 00
C. S. Batchelder, for 16 gals. apple sauce,	6 40
G. E. Weeks, for boots and baking pans,	4 25
Ranlet Manufacturing Co., for iron and steel,	11 99
Railroad tickets and freight,	45 20
Arrest and return of deserters,	9 00
T. J. Whipple, for complaint and warrant,	2 00
J. W. Busiel & Co., for 35 fire brick,	3 50
O'Shea Bros., for dry goods,	311 85
L. R. Weeks, for dry goods,	24 46
G. S. Rollins, for castings,	8 76
Mr. Dinsmore, for whip,	1 75
Belknap Mills Co., for two valves,	2 31
L. Dimond, for repairing steam pipe,	3 15
C. O. Bean, for 378 lbs. beef,	15 20
Funeral expenses of Joseph Glidden,	2 00
R. Gove, for 8,250 brick,	76 75
F. E. Sanborn, 21 days mason work,	42 00
James H. Tilton & Co., for 136 gals. molasses,	78 88
" " 26 bbls. flour,	221 00
" " 10 casks lime,	16 00
" " 71 lbs. tobacco,	38 35
" " 2 casks cement,	6 00
" " 45 lbs. tea,	19 80
" " 106 lbs. sugar,	13 25
" " boots, shoes and clothing,	57 07
" " 2,055 lbs. S. P. Lime,	51 38
" " groceries and hardware,	150 00
South Boston Iron Co., for castings,	13 78
T. L. Grant, for manure,	3 50
C. H. Lamprey, 1½ cords manure,	5 00
John O'Shea, 1½ cords manure,	7 50
S. M. Woodman, for 337 lbs. pork,	23 50
H. A. Crooker, repairing sleigh,	1 50
R. Gove, repairing clock,	1 00
E. L. Dow, for 700 lbs. pork,	56 00
" for beef,	45 45
Mr. O'Shea, 1 1-5 cords manure,	6 00
N. Johnson, for school books,	8 46
Sundry goods at Mrs. Day's auction,	10 35
A. J. Hart, for manure,	13 00

C. Prescott, for blanket,	1 60
O. Beaman, boots, shoes and hats,	46 27
J. F. H. Watson, for beef,	19 48
Mr. Dinsmore, for whip,	1 00
J. L. Merrill, 502 lbs. pork,	30 12
T. E. Ladd, 2,621 lbs. beef,	143 15
Frank Sanborn, for repairing harness,	1 50
Dr. Pickering, as dentist,	1 00
I. J. Bean, for goods,	1 50
W. H. Eastman, 82½ lbs. butter,	20 62
L. H. Smith, 865 lbs. beef,	45 75
J. L. Meserve, blacksmith,	6 73
S. R. Sanborn, 1½ cords manure,	7 00
Laconia Gas Co., for fire brick,	5 00
J. F. H. Watson, 302 lbs. beef,	12 00
O. M. Smith, for pig,	4 00
C. H. Lamprey, 1½ cords manure,	7 00
Dr. Foster, medicine for Gilman girl,	1 50
S. R. Harris, for fish,	8 88
S. M. Woodman, for pork,	6 52
Mr. Farrar, for fish, &c.,	4 35
S. E. Young, for glass ware,	1 75
Dr. Jewett, dentist,	1 50
Rev. M. T. Runnels, services at funeral,	6 00
G. A. Hatch, for medicine,	4 10
“ “ opium,	6 50
Rev. Mr. Goodwin, services at funeral,	5 00
Rev. Mr. Clement, “ “	5 00
G. L. Mead, for clothing,	12 00
George Woodman, 6½ months labor,	75 00
Mr. Elkins, for oven draft,	4 00
T. E. Ladd, for beef,	30 67
“ “ 5¾ cords manure,	28 00
Mr. Huzzy, for mowing machine,	75 00
J. F. H. Watson, for beef,	27 73
Lake Co., for five bags meal,	7 00
G. H. Mitchell, for castings,	1 50
Mansur & Knight, for two bedsteads,	7 00
George L. Mead, groceries,	53 79
W. Wallace, for threshing grain,	15 40
Rev. Mr. Allen, services,	2 00
T. E. Ladd, for oxen,	150 00
Belknap County Agricultural Society, for tickets for pau- pers to fair ground,	8 00
Mr. Chase, for one beef bull,	25 00
J. O. Stevens, for 2 cords manure,	8 06
J. P. Pitman & Co., for 25 lbs. tobacco,	14 00
“ “ “ leather boots, &c.,	15 11
George F. Mallard, for opium,	20 00
“ “ “ medicine,	28 92
J. Gilbert, for coffins and fixtures,	11 73

B. F. Thurston, for 25 bbls. flour,	196 25
“ “ tea, &c.,	11 15
“ “ 138 gallons molasses,	77 39
Mrs. H. J. Clement, for millinery,	1 49
Funeral expenses of Mrs. Greenleaf,	2 00
For support of Mrs. Aiken,	5 00
Cole Manufacturing Co., for castings and plow,	34 71
E. Smith, for 3 cords manure,	12 00
S. A. Clark, for manure,	5 00
M. Bean, for manure,	10 00
Dr. E. G. Wilson, for medical aid,	70 75
Dr. A. W. Abbott, medical aid,	5 00
W. S. Woodman, for 35 bushels of potatoes,	26 25
“ “ 7 “ corn,	6 30
A. Belford, for 2 cords manure,	8 00
C. M. Elkins, for 1 bbl. crackers,	3 50
A. F. Page, for 2 bbls. crackers,	7 75
D. L. Swain, one month's labor,	10 00
P. R. Fox, 37½ weeks labor,	112 50
B. F. Thurston, 1 cord manure,	4 00
Smith & Powers, for fruit trees,	7 75
John O'Shea, for cow,	25 00
G. H. Wilkinson, for tinware,	37 10
G. H. Mitchell & Son, for tinware,	15 43
George L. Mead, for 12 bbls. flour,	99 00
“ “ groceries,	34 70
Lake Co., for 6 bags meal,	8 10
Ella Woodman, for 20 week's labor,	60 00
Mr. Ames, ½ cord manure,	2 50
Peddler, for tinware,	1 00
Mr. Dinsmore, for leather,	1 00
Mr. James, for bull,	30 00
John O. Stevens, for manure,	5 00
J. W. Busiel, for 4 doz. hose,	7 00
C. Eastman, for meal,	93 41
W. Lawrence, for repairing jail locks,	12 00
E. F. Burleigh, for boots and shoes,	22 72
W. H. Sanborn, 2 cords manure,	9 00
H. A. Davis, undertaker,	4 00
Rev. Mr. Hartshorn, services at funeral,	2 00
C. A. Ranlet, for repairing wheels,	6 90
Asahel Sanborn, for 61 lbs. butter,	15 24
H. A. Crooker, for repairing cart and wheels,	1 50
H. A. Sanborn, for manure,	2 00
A. C. Dow, for 1½ cords manure.	7 50
G. Cook, for manure,	10 00
L. Durrell, for 2½ cords manure,	11 00
A. Thompson, blacksmith,	31 13
C. Sanborn, for manure,	7 50
F. Buxton, for manure,	7 50
C. L. More, 1 cord manure,	4 00

W. Johnson, 12 ax helves,	2 10
S. M. Woodman, 390 lbs. beef,	19 50
“ 40 lbs. butter,	10 00
G. Cook & Co., sawing lumber, and glass,	32 93
Mr. Howe, for use of carriage,	2 00
Norris & Crockett, 1 bbl. crackers,	3 29
Smith & Philbrook, for clothing,	8 71
Postage stamps and box,	6 00
Wiggin & Keasor, for 3 bbls. pork,	61 00
“ “ 4,485 lbs. shorts,	56 06
“ “ 35 bbls. flour,	260 00
“ “ 110 lbs. tea,	41 50
“ “ 288 gals. molasses,	159 84
“ “ clothing, boots and shoes,	75 00
“ “ 339 lbs. sugar,	40 68
“ “ hardware, paint, &c.,	84 86
“ “ groceries, crockery, &c.,	201 00
W. S. Woodman and wife, overseers,	900 00
Sundry bills,	41 78
Total expenses,	<hr/> \$5,642 18

SUMMARY OF FARM ACCOUNTS.

To inventory of personal property, March 1, 1877,	\$5,621 10
Paid for provisions, clothing, stock, medical aid, furnishing jail, house of correction and almshouse, funeral expenses, extra labor on farm and buildings, etc.,	4,742 18
W. S. Woodman and wife, as overseers,	900 00
Interest on farm and buildings,	1000 00
	<hr/> \$12,263 28
By inventory of personal property, March 1,	\$5,707 44
Received for stock, labor, fines from prisoners and board of sundry persons at farm,	1,576 13
Twenty-five cords of Manure bought and on hand,	125 00
Board of prisoners in jail,	522 72
Expenses of new oven,	275 00
Improvements on farm,	300 00
	<hr/> \$8,506 29
Whole amount for support of paupers,	3,756 99
Average number supported at farm, 68.	
Cost of each per year, \$55 25.	
Cost of each per week, \$1 62½.	

RECAPITULATION.

Cash paid for external poor from March term, 1877, to September term, 1877,	\$8,252 56
Cash paid for external poor from September term, 1877, to March term, 1878,	2,916 30
Cash paid for support of paupers on farm,	3,756 99
Total,	\$14,925 85
Total amount for support of external poor,	\$11,168 86
Total amount for support of paupers on county farm,	3,756 99

Names and ages of Paupers at the County Farm, from March 1, 1877, to March 1, 1878, inclusive:

MALES.			
Adams, Ezekiel,	66	Sargent, James,	14
Bowen, George,	65	Small, Mark,	39
Bridges, Ebenezer,	76	Smith, N. D.,	50
Conner, Jeremiah,	75	“ Stephen,	78
Chase, Daniel J.,	4	Taylor, George,	18
Corey, G. W.,	58	Young, Charles,	40
“ L. H.,	13	FEMALES.	
“ G. A.,	11	Adams, Jane,	63
Currier, C.,	47	Aiken, S. J.,	24
Fairfield, W. L.,	64	“ L. G.,	3
Gilman, Ezekiel,	58	“ R. J.,	1
Graves, D. A.,	29	Brocklebank, A.,	1
Hannaford, W. A.,	13	Cassady, Margaret,	
“ Charles,	10	Chase, A. M. M.,	10
“ Edgar,	8	Dalton, Charlotte,	48
Haskell, G. F.,	18	Dockham, Susan,	78
Hilliard, T. T.,	51	Downs, Charlotte,	18
Hoit, George,	35	Edgerly, Elizabeth,	71
Louthers, Lewis,	2 mos.	Elkins, Mercy,	65
Lewis, Alonzo,	16	Ellsworth, Betsey,	62
Lyford, Francis,	92	Fifield, Emma,	27
Merrill, Horace,	67	Gilman, Eldora,	22
“ G. H.,	38	Hill, Mary,	46
Moulton, J. D.,	39	Hicks, Bertha,	5 mos.
McCarty, John,	3	Hoit, Susan,	72
Nute, Eben C.,	49	Jones, Hattie,	20
Parshley, Joshua,	78	Ladd, M. A.,	49
Philbrick, M. C.,	47	“ Hannah,	75
Pike, Chase,	83	Lamprey, Cordelia,	58
Quimby, James,	75	Louthers, E. L.,	19
“ John,	73	Leathers, F. B.,	23
Rogers, W. L.,	50	Lovett, Lydia,	77
Rowe, Charles,	35	Luxman, Anna,	34
Swain, D. L.,	21	Marsh, Margaret,	57
Sanborn, Nathaniel,	82	McCarty, Abbie,	24
		“ M. Etta,	5

Merrill, Emma,	16	Tilton,	
Nutter, Rebecca,	31	Twombly, Eleanor,	49
Pervear, Sally,	77	Vaughan, Sarah,	97
Richards, Lydia,	88	Whittier, Mahala,	69
Sanborn, Sally,	88	Wiggin, D. A.,	26
Silver, Hannah,	59	“ C. B.,	2
Smith, Hannah,	82	“ Mabel,	4
“ Esther,	72	Locke, Susan,	76
Staples, M. A.,	51	Small, Mary O.,	32

Names and ages of persons who have died at the County Farm
during the past year.

MALES.		FEMALES.	
Durgin, Thomas,	77	Gilman, Ellen,	24
Dolan, Patrick,	71	Greenleaf, Ann,	51
Glidden, Joseph,	81	Leavitt, Susan,	66
Thompson, Jacob,	78	Fogg, Esther,	47
Lamprey, Richard,	88		
Sherman, Henry B.,	25		

HOUSE OF CORRECTION.

To the County Commissioners,

Gentlemen:

It becomes my duty again to make my annual report to you, and in so doing I am happy to be able to state that the year has passed away very pleasantly, with but very little trouble from those who have been committed to my charge. Many of these, while here, have formed resolutions to lead better lives and are now living up to these resolves; while others, as soon as they gained their liberty, returned to their old habits of idleness and dissipation, with no efforts and apparently no desire for any thing better. Two of those who have been in the house of correction are now confined in jail charged with crimes the proof of which will send them to State prison.

The number of persons committed, 12, for the following offences: Drunk, 2; Common Drunkards, 5; Stealing, 1; Vagrant, 4.

COUNTY JAIL.

The number of prisoners committed to jail the past year is much larger than previous years, consequently the expenses are larger. Board, clothing and repairs on jail amount to \$522.72. One has been transferred from our jail to Manchester by order of the court on petition of the Sheriff representing our jail not suitable to confine a woman in. I would recommend that such repairs be made as will make it suitable for both male and female and not be obliged to transfer our prisoners to other counties where the expenses must be larger, besides the disgrace of not having a suitable jail. But a very little outlay, in my opinion, is necessary to make it both convenient and comfortable.

During the past year 21 persons have been committed to jail; charged with the following offences: Drunk, 5, Adultery, 1; Incendiary, 1; Stealing, 3; Embezzlement, 1; Assault, 4; Selling liquor, 2; Improper conduct with a young girl, 1; Fornication, 1; Killing horse, 1; Breaking, entering and stealing, 1.

Respectfully submitted,
WILLIAM S. WOODMAN,
 Supt. of House of Correction and Deputy Jailor.

In presenting our report to the tax payers of Belknap County we can congratulate them on the present good condition of those who have been supported at the farm during the past year. But it will be observed that the expense for the support of the external poor has very much increased from last year by reason of the depression in business which still continues and the aid which has to be rendered to transient poor, and another class, which have become a great nuisance, and daily increasing, called tramps.

The superintendent, W. S. Woodman and his estimable wife, have had charge of the farm and every thing connected with it for the last eight years, and have performed their difficult and perplexing duties to the entire satisfaction of the commissioners and to the people of the County, as far as we know, and have so far improved the farm and its surroundings that it is now considered one of the most pleasant and most productive farms in the County. And we regret to say that they are to retire from their long and faithful service at the end of the present political year. We have engaged Mr. Rufus Clark and wife, of Meredith, to take their places and trust they will be successful, as they come well recommended.

The expense of supporting so large a number has necessarily been great, but no County in the State can boast of better management under similar circumstances. We do not propose to extend our remarks, as a perusal of the foregoing report will show the facts, and need not be repeated.

Also, herein will be found the Report of the Superintendent of the County Farm, House of Correction and Deputy Jailor, Clerk of Court, and County Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted,

DAVID C. CLOUGH, } Commissioners
ALVAH FOSS, } of
JAMES M. PAINE, } Belknap County.

NOTE.—The following items should have appeared in the report of the County Commissioners:

A. W. Abbott, medical aid to Mrs. Tilton,	28 00
H. Perkins, aid to McCooley children,	5 00
E. L. Dow, aid to Elizabeth Varney,	52 00
Town of Belmont, aid to Walter Tatrow, at Reform School,	19 50

REPORT OF CLERK.

To the County Commissioners of Belknap County:

As required by law I render you an account of my receipts and disbursements as Clerk of the Supreme Court for said County.

MARCH TERM, 1877.

Received for entry fees,	\$56 70
“ “ jury fees,	10 00
“ “ fines and costs, State v. Dow,	54 24
“ “ dockets sold,	15 00
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	\$135 94
Paid telegrams,	\$ 50
“ express,	1 30
“ postage,	4 00
“ half expense printing cases,	19 25
“ Merrimack County, expense June Law Term,	6 70
“ “ “ “ December Law Term,	11 70
“ printing dockets and blanks,	91 00
“ Morrill & Silsby, Judge's note books,	21 00
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	\$155 45

SEPTEMBER TERM, 1877.

Received for entry fees,	\$110 40
“ “ dockets sold,	21 00
“ “ jury fees,	60 00
“ “ fines and costs, State v. Willard <i>et al.</i> ,	131 52
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	\$322 92
Paid express,	\$1 80
“ telegrams,	1 64
“ printing dockets and blanks,	113 25
“ postage,	7 85
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	\$124 54

The balance of accounts were adjusted upon settlement with the Presiding Justices of the respective towns.

M. A. HAYNES, Clerk.

REPORT OF COUNTY TREASURER.**RECEIPTS.**

From February 16, 1877, to February 16, 1878.	
By cash in treasury February 16, 1877,	\$12,489 08
Balance of County tax for 1876,	5,282 04
E. E. Shaw, for license,	10 00
Fine, State v. J. Peavey and H. Lougee,	10 00
M. A. Haynes, fines and cost, State v. J. H. Dow,	54 24

Cash of Mary Davis,	3 00
“ for Farrar house,	25 00
“ of E. Stevens, for fines,	8 00
“ A. L. Rollins, for fines,	10 00
County tax paid,	23,000 00
Borrowed by authority of Court,	4,283 99

\$45,175 35

EXPENDITURES.

PAID FOR SERVICES AND FEES.

D. C. Clough, services and expenses as commissioner,	\$112 40
A. Foss, “ “ “	154 60
John W. Currier, salary as solicitor,	125 00
S. S. Wiggin, services and expenses as commissioner,	250 00
George H. Everett, salary as sheriff,	130 00
D. C. Clough, services and expenses as commissioner,	171 15
A. Foss, “ “ “	159 40
J. M. Paine, “ “ “	69 80
John W. Currier, services as solicitor,	125 00
G. H. Everett, services as sheriff,	65 00
W. S. Woodman, superintendent,	900 00
A. H. Jones, salary as treasurer,	150 00

\$2,412 35
3,166 05

NOTES AND INTEREST.

Paid Susan M. Hancock,	210 76
Henry Shepard,	346 32
Nathaniel Edwards,	12 00
Ira Davis,	45 00
Sarah H. Clifford,	68 00
Joshua March,	1,356 73
Daniel T. French,	1,152 82
Benjamin Fifield,	230 40
E. J. Thompson,	261 35
J. B. Robinson,	130 32
J. M. Paine,	416 31
Ransom S. Ladd,	945 48
Mary A. Kilton,	212 77
J. M. Taylor, Ex'r.,	321 86
Jona. M. Taylor,	1,411 14
Sarah C. Sleeper,	948 29

\$8,069 55

COURT EXPENSES.

N. Edwards, services and expenses as messenger,	\$25 12
Grand Jury pay-roll, March term,	203 80
Petit “ “ “	19 92
“ “ “ “	1,111 78

Grand Jury pay-roll, March term,	3 56
Geo. D. Savage, State v. John C. Pickering,	1 37
State v. Frank E. Randlett,	22 41
Referee's fees, Lord v. Stevens,	10 00
" Crockett v. Cawley,	10 00
M. A. Haynes, bill, March term,	457 24
G. H. Everett, State v. Munroe Dickey,	175 24
T. J. Whipple, " " "	200 00
C. J. Smith, " " "	52 00
John Sanborn, " " "	43 00
State v. James N. King,	1 37
State v. Munro Dickey et al.,	48 16
Geo. H. Everett, services and expenses as sheriff, Mch. T.,	479 24
N. Johnson, stationery for use of Court,	17 29
M. Sargent, State v. Munroe Dickey,	208 00
State v. Morris O'Donnell,	2 37
State v. Rhoda Sargent,	3 65
State v. Thomas Carroll,	5 11
State v. Clarence Dame,	19 59
Referee's fees, Swamscott M. Co. v. B., C. & M. R. R.,	15 00
State v. Belford et al.,	17 00
Referee's fees, Foss v. Perkins and tr.,	13 50
" Stone v. Perley,	10 00
E. H. Blaisdell, State v. C. H. Merrill,	9 46
" " v. A. J. York,	13 37
Referee's fees, Jones and Sawyer, v. Perkins,	5 00
E. H. Blaisdell, State v. Batmar,	10 48
State v. Charles D. Bryant,	16 68
J. G. Jewett, State v. Jennie, Merrill and others,	35 24
State v. Munroe Dickey, March term,	312 08
" John H. Dow, March term,	16 56
State v. Geo. S. Perkins,	5 47
State v. Ruddy et al.,	55 07
W. P. Lang, State v. Tilton & Hall,	17 95
J. P. Blaisdell, State v. Edward Leighton,	27 06
L. Jenkins, fees, State v. Geo. W. Young,	10 20
C. C. Rogers, State v. Tilton & Hall,	8 00
A. B. Wyatt, State v. J. W. Connor,	14 98
" " John Willis,	7 39
" " Mudgett & Rollins,	6 18
T. Cogswell, State v. Geo. W. Young,	7 00
Grand Jury pay-roll, September term, 1877,	94 02
Referee's fees Edgerly v. Jenkins,	15 00
" Dow v. Barker,	15 00
Petit Jury pay-roll, September term,	503 16
" " "	17 68
" " "	6 00
Referee's fees; Vaughan, Adm'r, v. Morrison,	35 00
Petit Jury pay-roll, September term,	24 84
State v. town of New Hampton,	4 20
" M. Harris and Mary L. Taylor,	38 86

Petit Jury pay-roll, September term,	128 00
“ “ “	588 00
M. A. Haynes bill, September term,	101 53
State v. James N. King,	8 00
“ J. H. Colbath,	9 50
“ Henry B. Glidden,	19 70
“ Ai McIntire,	20 70
“ Israel Sawyer, et al.,	35 00
“ Israel Sawyer et al.,	62 26
“ Sarah A. Payne,	11 53
“ David E. Page,	22 02
“ J. H. Colbath,	33 62
Petit Jury pay-roll, September term,	244 68
State v. James N. King et al.,	10 24
Referee's fees, Hanson v. Leighton et al.,	24 78
Petit Jury pay-roll, November adjourned term,	8 40
Referee's fees, Gilbert v. Frazier,	18 00
“ Cook v. Brown in review,	75 00
State v. Munroe Dickey,	121 70
E. H. Blaisdell, State v. Dolans,	22 77
G. H. Everett, services and expenses as sheriff, Sept. term,	684 47
N. Johnson, Jr., stationery for Court, September term,	28 93
Referee's fees, F. W. Poor, Ex'r, v. Batchelder,	37 00
J. G. Jewett, State v. Swain et al.,	26 85
Petit Jury pay-roll, November adjourned term,	156 82
M. A. Haynes' bill, “ “ “	7 00
T. J. Whipple, legal services for County,	83 50
State v. D. G. Burns, March term,	5 48
“ Mary E. Taylor, September term.	59 33
Referee's fees, Gilman v. Laconia,	53 75
“ Laconia v. Gilman,	21 85
State v. R. D. Carter,	2 23

\$7,240 29

PAUPER ACCOUNT.

Paid pauper bills as per Commissioners' Report,	\$11,168 86
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MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

J. P. Boodey, stationery for register of deeds,	3 65
J. P. Dockham & Co., insuring County farm buildings,	200 00
N. Johnson, Jr., stationery for register of deeds,	10 75
Wm. M. Kendall, Jr., printing & binding County Reports,	150 00
S. S. Wiggin, Agt., gas for Court House,	2 50
J. H. Tilton & Co., axe “ “	1 25
E. B. Beaman, binding book for register of deeds,	10 00
M. A. Haynes, examining Records,	6 00
A. G. Folsom, use of Hall for Dickey trial,	33 00
Truland Bros., printing blanks, &c.,	1 75
W. M. Kendall, Jr., for Democrat and News,	1 50

J. H. Tilton & Co., spittoon and axe for Court House,	2 25
W. M. Kendall, Jr., printing Treasurer's Report,	112 34
B. M. Sanborn, taxes on County Farm,	75 12
J. P. Dockham & Co., insurance on farm buildings,	36 00
M. A. Haynes, stationery for Clerk's office,	18 28
M. A. Haynes, examining records and copies, Belknap v. Clark,	16 50
E. B. Beaman, binding dockets, March and Sept. terms,	14 00
J. Edwards, stone and labor on wall for Court House,	14 00
D. G. Burns, labor on Court House,	4 50
N. Edwards, messenger at Probate Court and work on Court House,	23 00
M. A. Haynes, stationery for County use,	23 28
Lougee Bros. & Co., rope matting for Court House,	14 30
N. Johnson, Jr., books and stationery for Reg. of Deeds,	21 65
J. P. Boodey, blanks for Register of Deeds,	10 25
D. S. Dinsmoor, record book for Register of Probate,	32 25
C. F. Smith, sawing wood for Court House,	15 00
J. H. Tilton & Co., wood for Court House,	42 62
R. Gove, clock for Court House,	7 00
Gas Light Co., gas at Court House,	8 50
J. P. Boodey, indexing records, and for books, etc.,	58 00
M. A. Haynes, paper for County Farm,	3 00
M. A. Haynes, stationery for Probate office,	11 25
G. Cook & Co., wood for Court House,	2 75
Wiggin & Keasor, work on Court House,	3 08
J. F. Merrill, grave stones for county paupers,	28 00
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	\$1017 32

RECAPITULATION.

EXPENDITURES.

Services and fees,	\$2,412 35
Farm use,	3,166 05
Notes and interest,	8,069 55
Court expenses,	7,240 29
Pauper account,	11,168 86
Miscellaneous,	1,017 32
Cash on hand,	12,100 93
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\$45,175 35

COUNTY DEBT.

Principal,	\$28,635 35
Interest to March 1, 1878,	6,213 90
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Notes outstanding,	\$34,849 25
Cash on hand,	12,100 93
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Debt less cash on hand,	\$22,748 32

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